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MISTOOK ACID FOR MEDICINE

Son is Dead and Daughter May Die

HOUR HAD ELAPSED

Before Mother, Who had Given Carbolic Acid by Mistake for cough Medicine, Realized what Occurred

THE DRUGGIST RECOGNIZES POISON

Philadelphia, Dec. 14.—Three-year-old Ralph Rehfield is dead and his 6-year-old sister, Helen, is dying in Mt. Sinai Hospital, as the result of swallowing carbolic acid Monday given them by their mother, Mrs. Rebecca Rehfield, in mistake for cough medicine. The Rehfields live at 1333 South Fifth Street, where Abraham Rehfield, the father, conducts a livery stable.

The tragedy occurred Monday afternoon. The little boy and his sister returned to their home about 7 o'clock after a short ride in their goat-cart. Both appeared to have been affected by the cold. Mrs. Rehfield went to a closet, where she kept medicines, and took out what she thought was a bottle of cough medicine. Instead, it was a bottle of carbolic acid which Samuel Greenfeld, one of the workmen had been using.

Unconscious of her terrible mistake Mrs. Rehfield gave the boy a tablespoonful of the liquid. The little girl took only a slip and then refused to drink more. This probably saved her life.

Ralph began to cry in agony and the little girl, suffering from her burns, also wept. The mother perplexed, and with no thought that she had given her children anything else than cough medicine tried her best to quiet them. Alarmed at their continued outbursts she sent for the family physician. He was not at his office, and as a last resort the mother sent for a druggist. This was just one hour after she had given the children the poison.

The druggist immediately recognized the effects of carbolic acid. Grabbing the little girl in his arms, while the mother carried the boy, they dashed to Mt. Sinai Hospital where both children were given immediate attention. Then the mother collapsed.

One hour after being brought to the hospital Ralph died. His sister's life was so endangered by the time that elapsed between her swallowing the poison and the time emetics were given her that her recovery is considered doubtful. The mother is prostrated at her home.

Abraham Rehfield, the father, returned to his home Monday night at 6 o'clock from a funeral of a small boy. He had been affected by the grief shown at the grave. When he saw the crowd that thronged around his home he jumped from his carriage and crying: "Has some thing happened to the children," he dashed into the house. There his wife and brother told him of the accident. Without waiting to learn whether the children were dead or alive, he rushed to Mt. Sinai Hospital, where he breathlessly asked to be allowed to see them both.

"The boy is dead," said one of the nurses, quietly.

The man sank down on a bench, his shoulders shaking with emotion. Then he was taken up to the ward where his little daughter lay moaning. He bent over and kissed her, and then his brother led him away.

Election of Royal Arcanum Officers.

The following officers were elected by the Royal Arcanum Tuesday evening.

Representative to Grand Council	Dr. A. W. Hafer.
Alternate to Grand Council	Jacob S. Lyon
Regent	Dr. M. A. Kirk
Vice Regent	J. M. Fisher
Orator	Theodore Cherry
Secretary	Chas. Smith
Collector	J. Robert Cole
Treasurer	J. K. Barnhart
Chaplain	A. W. Hafer
Guide	C. K. Hicklin
Warden	C. A. Lukenbach
Sentry	Wm. C. Rowe

Trustees, John Meese, J. S. Lyon, M. A. Kirk

Auditors, C. K. Hicklen, C. A. Lukenbach, John Bair.

NEW ELFCTRIC POWER PLANT.

Edison Electric Company Purchase Car Works Dam.

By July 1st Bellefonte will be numbered with the enterprising towns in the state which will have a day electrical service both for illuminating purposes and motive power. This will be made possible by the Bellefonte Electric Co. which has recently come into possession of the water power at what is known as the Bellefonte Car Works, now Howard Lingle's machine shops. It was purchased for $8000 from Frank McCoy and John Shugert who had the disposing of the same. This is one of the best water powers in the state, and it will be quite an interesting sight to see the old car works dam restored which was first erected in 1873 at the time when car works were built and the town received its greatest boom.

Plans and specifications are now being made which will consist of a dam with high concrete breastwork, together with a concrete building in which will be placed a large dynamo that will assist in furnishing both power and light. The power generated at the dam will be conveyed to the main plant, on west Lamb street, where it will be distributed through the town on the regular wires. At the plant the company has three large engines, the combined strength of which is 500-horse power. The new plant will give an additional 100-horse power which will make the capacity sufficient for any demands that may be made upon the company in a town the size of Bellefonte. For several years there has been a demand for day power service but it has not been sufficient to warrant the company to start their engines and keep a man there to take care of it, but under the new regime that difficulty has been overcome and the necessary power will be furnished, even if all the engines have to be put in motion beside the extra power manufactured at the dam. This will enable our manufacturing plants to become equipped with electro motors, thus discarding the steam and gasoline engine. The electro motor is the most modern method to drive machinery, having many conveniences over steam or gasoline engines. The fact that a goodly portion of the electricity will be manufactured by water will enable the company to supply this power at a consideration within the reach of every manufacturer in the town, whether it be the match factory, planing mill, shirt factory, printing office, dentist offices or any other place where the electric spark can be used.

Loganton's New Bank Will Open Soon.

Within the next two or three months the people of Loganton and Sugar valley will enjoy all the privileges of a national banking institution, a convenience which they will no doubt appreciate. The National Bank of Loganton having been fully organized with a capital stock of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000), nearly all of which has been subscribed for in that locality, those at the head of the enterprise are now looking around for an available building, in which to start the bank. Several sites are under consideration and as soon as a selection is made, the work of fitting up and furnishing the same will be proceeded with as speedily as possible, and it is hoped to have everything in readiness to receive deposits and transact a general banking business by March 1st.

The board of directors elected by the stockholders on Saturday afternoon are as follows; T. H. Harter, H. A. Meyer, E. M. DeLong, G. S. Boone, J. A. Schreckengast, G. O. Klepper, E. E. Douty, A. S. Greninger, W. A. Morris, E. A. Schwenck and E. E. Meyer. The directors than elected the following officers: President, T. R. Harter; vice president, Guy S. Boone; cashier, W. A. Morris; solicitor, R. B. McCormick, esq.

As will be seen from the above the board of directors and the officers are among the most prominent and influential business men and farmers in that section of the country, which is a guarantee that the new institution will be conducted in a safe and business-like manner.

A Word to Patrons.

With the month of December, 1908 comes to a close and the subscribers to The Bellefonte Republican should see that their subscriptions are paid. There are a number on our books that, notwithstanding they have received notices of arrearages, yet have failed to pay us. We are in need of all money due us to meet our obligations and would feel grateful to our patrons for a prompt response to this notice. The postal laws are very strict in regard to delinquent subscribers.

EXPLOSION OF A BOMB

In the City of Chicago on Sunday

BUILDIN GS WRECKED

Adjoining Coliseum and a Fire Started—Democratic Ball was to Have Been Held There

NO EVIDENCE OF LOSS OF LIFE.

Chicago, December, 13.—Two buildings were wrecked, several persons were believed to have been killed and windows were shattered for a block around by the terrific explosion of a bomb in Wabash alley near Sixteenth street Sunday.

The wrecked buildings adjoin the coliseum, were the First ward democratic ball, an annual revel against the holding of which this year much opposition has been made, is scheduled to be held tomorrow night

The police are working on the theory that the bomb thrower designed to frighten people from going to the coliseum and thus prevent the ball.

The report of the explosion was heard for a mile. The congregations of Grace Episcopal church, adjoining the coliseum, and of the open church a block away, and guests of several nearby hotels, rushed to the streets excitedly. A two-story frame building at 1513 Wabash avenue, which adjoins the south wall of the coliseum annex, collapsed and took fire. The fire leaped across a vacant lot and spread to another frame building, also wrecked. Properties of the coliseum, stored in the two buildings, were fuel for the flames.

Crowds of excited persons, believing that the great steel coliseum, wherein the national conventions have been held had been blown up rushed to the scene.

Policemen and firemen began a search among the burning debris in the belief that people were in the buildings when the explosion occurred. It was reported that two men had entered one of the buildings a short time before.

One theory of the explosion is that the bomb thrower was prowling in the alleyway searching for a favorable spot on the alley side of the coliseum at which to drop the explosive and that through some miscalculation he had to leave it near the two buildings, where it exploded. An examination of the premises, the police said, showed that from the top of one of the wrecked buildings the bomb might have been thrown through a skylight of the coliseum.

Another theory is that the bomb was thrown as another demonstration in the "gamblers' war," which has been marked by the firing of a series of bombs, or dynamite sticks, in the vicinity of alleged gambling places said to be favored by the police to the detriment of the bomb throwers, whose places have been closed by law. It is suggested by the police that the granting of a permit for the First ward ball might have been classed by these bomb throwers as a concession to the supposedly favored faction of gamblers.

The First ward ball has long been a source of contention between reformers and the promoters of the annual festival. Recently the pastor of Grace Episcopal church sought and failed to get an injunction to prevent the holding of the ball on the ground that it was prejudicial to the morals of the community. The ball is supported by "First Warders," who are represented in the city council by Alderman Michael Kenna and John Coughlin. The proceeds of the ball, which are variously estimated at from $15,000 to $25,000 annually, are used toward electing the aldermen of the ward whose terms expire the following spring.

After searching all the debris the police were unable to find evidence of any bodies. It is believed all had escaped.

Dr. Armsby Honored.

In connection with the International Live Stock exposition recently held at Chicago, a meeting of those interested in college experimental work was held. About 30 were present, representing stations from Pennsylvania to California. Dr. Henry Prentise Armsby, of the Pennsylvania State College experiment station, was chosen president. —State College Times.

WRECK ON THE SNOW SHOE

Engine Plunges Over 100 Foot Embankment—Engineer Killed.

Last Thursday morning at 11 o'clock a very bad wreck occurred on the Snow Shoe branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad near the No. 4 switchback. As a result the engineer was killed and the fireman had a very narrow escape from death, the engine and two cars being wrecked.

The train was an extra freight consisting of engine No. 1283, eleven cars and a caboose on its way from Snow Shoe to Tyrone. The engineer was Alozo Bockman and the fireman, Clyde Woomer, both of Tyrone. Just as they were coming around the curve, at the big fill, just above No. 4 switchback, the engine for some unknown cause left the rails and plunged down a 100 foot embankment among the rocks and brush. The two rear box cars left the track and went over the embankment also. Neither the engineer or fireman had a chance to jump, it all happened so sudden. When the engineer was found he was pinned under the cab. The fireman Clyde Woomer had a marvelous escape from death. He says he stuck to the engine until just as he stopped rolling, when something struck him on the back throwing him a distance of thirty feet. He scrambled up just in time to escape a truck which came rolling toward him down the bank and he escaped without a scratch.

Bockman, the engineer, after being extricated from the wreckage, was placed on an engine and brought to Bellefonte where he was taken to the Bellefonte hospital. He reached the hospital at about 12:30 and died at 1 o'clock, having never regained consciousness His left leg was broken in two places, nose torn off and body scalded from neck down.

He was 27 years old and leaves a wife and family in Tyrone. He was promoted from fireman to engineer about six weeks ago.

STATE GRANGE OFFICERS.

W. T. Creasy Elected Worthy Master by a Close Margin.

The event of Thursday in the State Grange was the election of officers While the results in most cases were accurately forecasted by those in touch with the candidates and their relative strength among the voting delegates, yet there was an air of suspense during the waiting time that was dispelled by the reading, early in the evening session, of the following list of officers who will serve for the ensuing term of two years.

Worth Master—Hon. W. T. Creasy, Catawissa, Columbia county.

Worthy Overseer—Howard F. Cox, Bellwood, Blair county.

Worthy Lecture—E. B. Dorsett, (re-elected) Mansfield, Tioga county.

Worthy Secretary—Hon. J. T. Ailman, (re-elected) Thompsontown, Juniata county.

Worthy Steward—Theo. M. Kline, Lake Ariel, Wayne county.

Worthy Assistant Steward—J. P. Gifford, (re-elected) New Milford, Susquehanna county.

Worthy Treasurer—Sep imus E. Nivin, (re-elected) Landenburg, Chester county.

Worthy Gatekeeper—Alex. Strittmatter, Ebensburg, Cambria county.

Worthy Ceres—Dr. Hannah Lyons, (re-elected) Lincoln university, Chester county.

Worthy Flora—Mrs. Carolyn Dale, (re-elected) Centre Hall, Centre county.

Worthy Pomona—Mrs. Anna Post, re-elected) Dalton, Lackawanna county.

Worth Lady Assistant Steward—Mrs. Mary D. Howden, Corydon, Warren county.

Member Finance Committee for Three Years—S. B. Brown, (re-elected) Mann's Choice, Bedford county.

Member Executive Committee for Three Years—I. Frank Chandler, (re-elected) Toughkenamon, Chester county.

Mackeyville Couple Married.

Neil M. Laudenslayer and Miss Beatrice R. Heltman, both of Mackeyville, were married Saturday afternoon at 2.30 by Rev. John A. MacSporran, pastor of Great Island Presbyterian church.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob W. Laudenslayer, of Mackeyville, and is employed as a draughtsman with the N. Y. & Pa. Co., of Lock Haven. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Heltman, of Mackeyville. The young couple left on the afternoon N. Y. C. train for Kylertown on a short wedding trip.

ST. GAUDENS PORTRAYED

As The World's Greatest Artist--A High Tribute

TO SCULPTOR' MEMORY

President Says The world is His Debtor. Beauty of Coins Exceeds the Greeks

GREATNESS OF ST. GAUDEN'S WORK.

Washington, December 15.—Portraying Augustus Saint Gaudens as a great sculptor, whose works will stand in the very forefront among the masterpieces of the greatest periods and greatest peoples, President Roosevelt tonight at an exhibition of St. Gaudens' works at the Corcoran Gallery of Art, under the auspices of the American Institution of Architects, paid eulogium to that artist's mastery of his craft. The British, French and Brazilian ambassadors and others made speeches and a large representative gathering was present. The President in touching briefly on the large feets that made St. Gaudens famous, with a by-word as to the varying achievements in the fields of pure art, literature and science in America, flecked the original features of the sculptor's imaginative genuis and flayed the critics who found fault with the creations of his art.

The President declared that all the world is Saint Gaudens' debtor. "The great nations of antiquity, of the middle ages and of modern times," he said, "were, and are great in each case, not only because of the collective achievements of each people as a whole but because of the sum of the achievements of the men of special eminence: and this whether they excelled in war craft or state craft as roadmakers or cathedral builders, as men of letters, men of art or men of science. The field of effort is almost limiteless, and pre-eminent success in any part of it should be especially prized by the nation to which the man achieving the success belongs.

"Particularly should this be so with us in America. We have conquered a continent; we have laced it with railways; we have dotted it with cities.

"The twilight letters continues but much is now being done in the field of art."

Describing the gold coins whose recent issuance by the government awakened a clamor of criticism, the President declared Saint Gaudens "gave us for the first time a beautiful coinage, not yet properly appreciated but up to which both the official and the popular mind will in the end grow."

The President contended that the first few thousands of these coins are more beautiful than any coins since the days of the Greeks and that frequent comments on the bonnet of "eagle plume on the figure of liberty" illustrate curiously the exceedingly conventional character of much of our criticism and the frequent inability to understand originality until it had won its place.

The President said that the basis of most of the criticism was "nonsense."

Ambassador M. Jusserand declared that St. Gaudens' statue of Tecumseh Sherman is one of the most inspiring symbols of triumph that art had ever conceived.

That Saint Gaudens will live as one of the artistic glories of this country was the declaration of James Bryce, the British ambassador. It is by Saint Gaudens' imaginative expression that he will live.

Game Commission is for Shorter Season

The Pennsylvania state game commission comes out in its annual report for a short game hunting season, limited to November and the first half of December. The report is brief. Besides its recommendations it asks for increased appropriations to propagate game and to enlarge the sum set aside for the bounties upon noxious animals. For the first time in a state report it comments upon the activities of the Black Hand. The commission takes the ground that developments in the trial of men accused of killing and attacking game protectors indicates that such a thing as the Black Hand does exist and that it is dangerous not only to the enforcement of the game laws but to the state as well, and urges as a means of stamping it out the passage of the act to prohibit unnaturalized men from carrying arms.

BANQUET AT BROCKERHOFF.

Academy Football Heroes Enjoy a Feast.

The dining room of the Brockerhoff House was the scene of a most enjoyable gathering Friday evening, the occasion being a banquet given by Mr. Arthur S. Sloop, professor of Mathematics, at the Academy, in honor of the Bellefonte Academy foot ball team's most successful season on the Gridiron.

The tables were beautifully decorated and twenty-two guests sat down to them, namely, Capt. Smith, Dillon, Oberlin, Wright, Wagner, Wycoff, Londen, Elliott, Sleppy, McCandless, Wilson, South, Stevens, Eisenberg, Stouble, Boyd, Shields, Shenk, Philliber, Coach Hall and Principal J. R. Hughes. Manager Abrams and Thomas, the crack little end were absent because of sickness.

After the inner man had been satisfied from a delightful menu, toasts were called for and responded to by all present. Mr. Sloop was very happy in his introduction of the speakers.

At each plate was a novel folding menu card in the shape of a foot ball, with a pen sketch of each guest in some particular characteristic attitude on the foot ball field, at the head of the card. This was a very clever piece of work. Then followed the delicious menu and the names of the invited guests.

The banquet was pronounced a success throughout and closed with three hearty cheers for the Academy and its future prosperity and for Professor Sloop, who had so generously and so beautifully entertained.

Ungrateful Boy Robbed His Kind Benefactor.

A 17-year-old boy known as "Murphy," but whose real name is Joseph Fry, and whose home is in St. Mary's, was given employment as chore boy, about a week ago, by Frank J. Seel, proprietor of the Central hotel, on Erie avenue, near Tenth street, Renovo.

The lad was given a good home, provided with comfortable clothing and was trusted by Mr. Seel and his family, who wished to improve the boy's condition. On Friday morning about 3 o'clock it was discovered that the till at the hotel had been robbed of ten dollars and investigation showed that the boy was missing. Up to this time his whereabouts have not been discovered. It was also found that the boy had made an attempt to open a box containing some money and ransacked the sideboard.

A description of the ungrateful chap has been sent to the local police department and is as follows: He is five feet, three inches in height, has scar across the bottom of his chin, another on the right side of the neck, wore a new pair of shoes, size No. 8; browned checked trousers and vest, blue undercoat has light hair and wore a cap, he speaks with a German accent.

Any information as to the fellow's whereabouts should be given to M. Foley, chief of police, Renovo, or to any officer in this city.

Young Couple Killed by Train.

Pressly Stiver, 20 years of age and his cousin, Helen Stiver, aged 18, were killed while crossing the tracks of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg railroad near Big Run, Sunday evening in a buggy. Their horse was also killed and the buggy demolished.

The young people were driving leisurely along and apparently did not stop to listen for the train before making the crossing, which is double tracked. When the buggy was in the middle of the crossing the train hove in sight. Neither of the occupants had time to jump before the train was upon them. Pressly Stiver was ground under the engine and his body was terribly mangled. His cousin's body was hurled several feet.

Both young people were well known in the vicinity of Big Run. They had spent the afternoon visiting friends and were on their way home when the accident happened.

Death of R. A. Kinsloe.

Sunday, December 13th Robert A. Kinsloe, Sr., formerly of Philipsburg, but late a resident of Philadelphia, died at his home in that city No. 5226 Spruce street. Mr. Kinsloe had been ailing for some time. He was married to Miss Alice Rankin, a daughter of the late James Rankin Esq., of Bellefonte.

For many years he was in the newspaper business at Philipsburg conducting the Bituminous Record. He was about sixty years of age and leaves a wife and several children.

The remains will be brought to Bellefonte Wednesday morning on the Lewisburg train. Interment in the Union cemetery, direct from the train.

PRESIDENT IS IN EARNEST

Circulators of Faleshoods on the Panama Canal

WILL BE ARRESTED

On Charge of Criminal Libel, Says the Chief Executive, If they Can be Reached in Any Way.

MADE THIS ASSERTION IN A SPEECH

Washington, December 10.—"If they can be reached for criminal libel I shall try to have them reached," said President Roosevelt, in speaking this afternoon, about those Americans who have been guilty of infamous falsehood concerning the acquisition of the Panama canal property and construction work itself. It was the committee of one hundred of the lakes-to-the gulf deep waterway association, headed by Governor Deneen, of Illinois, who were received by the president in the east room of the white house, that he made this declaration.

Governor Deneen had presented a copy of resolutions adopted by the association and made a few remarks to which the president replied as follows:

"I have felt, as the governor has so well put it, that no more important service could be rendered to this country than the building of the Panama canal between the Atlantic and the Pacific; and one thing I am proud of in connection with the building of the canal is that there has not been legitimate cause for the breath of scandal connected with any feature of the proceeding. We have cause to be ashamed of only one set of Americans who have been guilty of infamous falsehoods concerning the acquisition of the property and the construction of the canal itself. If they can be reached for criminal liable I shall try to have them reached. If not, at any rate, all the facts we know or ever have known are at the disposal of each and every one of you here and of any one in congress or of all congresses if they wish to see them.

"Next only in importance from the physical standpoint to building the Panama canal comes the question of developing the use of our own waterways. That must be done by the policy of irrigation at the headwaters up in the arid regions and where you come from, gentlemen, it is to be done by making out seacoast take a big loop in from the Gulf of Mexico to the great lakes, and we will see that work is done just as honestly, just as efficiently as the Panama canal work has been done, and no work could have been done from beginning to end more honestly or more efficiently.

Bible Depository.

Our readers are reminded that the Centre County Bible Society has its Depository in the Y. M. C. A. Building, Bellefonte, Pa., where Bibles and Testaments can be had at cost and a limited supply for grants to those unable to buy. Orders sent to Secretary Meserve or Missioner Crittenden will be promptly filled.

Nursing Mothers and Over-burdened Women

In all stations of life, whose vigor and vitality may have been undermined and broken-down by over-work, exacting social duties, the too frequent bearing of children, or other causes, will find in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription the most potent, invigorating restorative strength-giver ever devised for their special benefit. Nursing mothers will find it especially valuable in sustaining their strength and promoting an abundant nourishment for the child. Expectant mothers too will find it a priceless boon to prepare the system for baby's coming and rendering the ordeal comparatively painless. It can do no harm in any state, or condition of the female system.

Delicate, nervous, weak women, who suffer from frequent headaches, backache, dragging-down distress low down in the abdomen, or from painful or irregular monthly periods, gnawing or distressed sensation in stomach, dizzy or faint spells, see imaginary specks or spots floating before eyes, have disagreeable, pelvic catarrhal drain, prolapsus, anteversion or retro-version or other displacements of womanly organs from weakness of parts will, whether they experience many or only a few of the above symptoms, find relief and a permanent cure by using faithfully and fairly persistently Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

This world-famed specific for woman's weaknesses and peculiar ailments is a pure glyceric extract of the choicest native, medicinal roots without a drop of alcohol in its make-up. All its ingredients printed in plain English on its bottle-wrapper and attested under oath. Dr. Pierce thus invites the fullest investigation of his formula knowing that it will be found to contain only the best agents known to the most advanced medical science of all the different schools of practice for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments.

If you want to know more about the composition and professional endorsement of the "Favorite Prescription," send postal card request to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for his *free* booklet treating of same.

You can't afford to accept as a substitute for this remedy *of known composition* a secret nostrum *of unknown composition*. Don't do it.

AN UP TO DATE AD.

Miss Margaret Brown, a Resourceful Stenographer of Chicago.

A Chicago stenographer, Miss Margaret Brown, needed a position. To live she had to work, and nowhere in the great city could she find employment. On the "liner" pages of the Chicago dailies she saw the advertisements of hundreds of girls who, like herself, could find no work to do. Their ads., as a rule, ran like this:

Situation Wanted.—Young woman, twenty-two, five years' experience, desires position as stenographer; trustworthy and efficient; references furnished. Box X. Y. Z.

Said Margaret Brown to herself, for she has learned the great life principle of reasoning: "How can I compete with all the other jobless girls in Chicago and make myself heard? If I advertise in the newspapers, who will single me out from all the rest? Doubtless scores of those girls are as good if not better stenographers than I am. I have no way except by advertising to call attention to my condition. I must invent a way."

She did, and here is the ad. she published in one newspaper:

Situation Wanted.—A brown haired girl by the name of Brown would like a position with a firm named Brown, although others would be considered. Address X 537.

Scores of letters addressed to "X 537" arrived at the newspaper office the following day, and Miss Margaret Brown had no difficulty in selecting the best offer, and it was a good one.

She has her job, and she is happy.

Hundreds of others are still advertising.

Miss Margaret Brown is a smart young woman and deserves success. She will surely have success. She knows that nothing is accomplished which is worth while doing that does not come from hard thinking.

Does this mean anything to you?

THE POPULAR GIRL.

She Never Challenges the Admiration of the Crowd.

There are two kinds of popular girls. One is admired by the crowd; the other is loved by the individual. One is sure to be spoken of as "fascinating;" the other is not spoken of very much at all. But every one who knows her says softly, with an air of having made a rare discovery: "Ah, I like that girl! I feel as if I had been looking for her always. She is the dearest girl in the world."

The popular girl of the first mentioned class is easy enough to appreciate and to understand. Every one finds her attractive. Her popularity is obvious. In fact, nearly everything about her, all her charm, seems to be rather obvious. All her easy magnetism shows off prettily at first glance. She makes no particular appeal to you as an individual, but she is a general favorite. You find her fascinating, and you know that every one else finds her fascinating too. She is the "popular" girl.

It does not occur to many people to describe the other girl as "popular." She never challenges the attention of the crowd. She is unassuming and unaffected, very much interested in other persons and wholly unconscious of herself. She is not strikingly beautiful. Even the keenness of her remarkably fine mind has in it no obtrusive surface brilliance. She has none of the airs and graces, the small coquetries, of the girl who is an acknowledged belle. She has none of the obvious charms of the "popular" girl. There is nothing obvious about her at all. Yet every one who talks with her ten minutes feels the personal compulsion of her quiet, unsought charm.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

Bags made of cheesecloth eight inches square filled with oatmeal, some powdered borax, pulverized castile soap and a little powdered orris root and used in the bath are delightfully refreshing.

Cold water should not be taken during any meal. This sudden deluge on the food in the stomach chills it and prevents the digestive juices from acting freely, thus letting the food lie passive and causing acute indigestion.

Occasionally take the powder puff and clean it in gasoline, frequently changing the gasoline to get the puff perfectly clean. Bear in mind that the puff gets as badly soiled as a towel or face cloth and should not be used long without being cleaned.

The fashionable hairdressing of the season shows the hair parted in the front or a little at one side as considered becoming. It is puffed at the side and taken back to the crown of the head or the nape of the neck, depending upon the quantity of the hair.

Under no circumstances rub soap into white hair. Put it into a warm or hot suds and use fresh water freely for rinsing and be liberal with soft, warm towels when drying. Avoid a yellow or green soap that contains alkali and makes the hair yellow. Use pure castile soap that has previously been reduced to a jelly in warm rainwater to which a little bay rum has been added.

The eyebrows should receive as much attention as any other part of the body. With a little cold cream on the finger tips rub the eyebrows gently, so as to remove any possible dandruff, since they often have a little in them. Then wash them with a solution made of water and a little alcohol. First brush them straight up toward the hair and then straight down, and the line will be thin and well shaped. If constantly treated in this manner the eyebrows will soon be a beautiful shape. The brushing up of the outward tip gives a coquettish expression to some faces.

REMARKABLE IS ENDING

With Discharge of Jury in Abraham Ruef Case

HAS THRICE APPEARED

In Case Where He Plead Guilty the Higher Courts Reversed the Findings—A Famous Case.

SENSATIONS HAVE BEEN MANY

San Francisco, December 9.—One of the most remarkable trials in the history of California, will end with the discharge of the jury that is tonight considering the fate of Abraham Ruef, charged with the bribery of a former supervisor to procure the passage of a trolley ordinance. The case was given to the jury this afternoon. Both in duration and by reason of the startling and unusual occurrences that have attended its progress, the trial has become the most important outgrowth of the exposures of the summer of 1906, when a grand jury after hearing the confession of sixteen members of the board of supervisors, returned scores of indictments charging bribery against the supervisors, Mayor E. E. Schmitz and Abrahsm Ruef and against officers of the street railway system, the gas and electric companies, two telephone companies, a realty company and four prize fight promoters.

Ruef has thrice appeared to answer three of the scores of indictments pending against him. In the first case, wherein Ruef was charged with extorting money from the proprietor of a French restaurant, the defendant pleaded guilty. The case was afterward reversed by the higher courts. In the second trial, on a charge of having bribed supervisors in the application of the Parkside Realty company for a trolley franchise, the jury disagreed after seven hours of deliberation.

The present trial was on an indictment charging Ruef with the bribing former Supervisor John J. Furey. It was begun August 26 and has been in progress 106 days. The jury was not completed until the trial was seventy-two days old.

Shortly after the trial began, Frank J. Murphy and Adolph Newborg, attorneys for the defense, were indicted on a charge of attempting to bribe John M. Kelly, a talesman in one of the Ruef cases. E. A. S. Blake, a contractor indicted on the same charge, was convicted and afterwards he confessed. He is still awaiting sentence and the trial of Murphy in which Blake was the principal witness, for the prosecution, is in progress in another department of the superior court.

The attempted assassination of Francis J. Heney, who originally had charge of the present case against Ruel was perhaps the most startling outcome of the third Ruef trial. Heney was shot while in the court room on November, 13, by Morris Haas, a liquor dealer, who several weeks before in Ruef's second trial had qualified as a juror, only to be exposed as an ex-convict by Mr. Heney and dismissed. Haas on the night of November 15, committed suicide in his cell at the county jail by shooting himself with a revolver, which it is believed, he has secreted in his shoe.

Horse and Buggy Get a Fall.

On Monday afternoon Joe Thal drove out on Willowbank street just over the borough line and hitched his horse to a telephone pole just opposite the residence of Charles Heisler. The telephone pole is right at the edge of a three foot embankment and in some way the horse got too close and slipped front feet foremost over the brink with the result that the residents of that section witnessed a most remarkable equine acrobatic exhibition. Going down head foremost the horse broke the boardwalk and railing along it and, tumbling two complete somersaults, both horse and buggy landed against the stone wall along David Miller's property down near the old car works dam site. Everybody who saw the accident naturally expected to find the horse badly crippled and the buggy smashed to smithereens but, remakable as it may appear, the horse was not hurt in the least and the only damage done to the buggy was the spring of the dish outside in on one of the rear wheels, though the harness was pretty badly used up. The embankment at that place is about thirty feet high and so steep that it took six men to poll the buggy back onto the street, and it seems almost a miracle that the horse was not killed and the buggy smashed into kindling wood.

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BILLY AND "E 112."

By COLIN S. COLLINS.

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To Billy Baxter every moment he spent in the theater was to his liking, but the best of all was when the band filed in and the house lights went up. Then the music and the rush of arrivals made a delightful stir.

These were busy moments for the ushers, because in the ten minutes preceding the rise of the curtain half the house had to be seated, and it was hard for Billy to bear in mind the managerial caution that the right hand aisle was not a cinder track laid for his amusement.

It is hard to walk when the music plays a lively air, and there were times when Billy would sprint up the aisle as though bent upon breaking all records for the hundred yards.

These ten minutes twice a day repaid the boy for the rest of the work, and it was work for all who were employed about the Century theater.

Calkins, the manager, had spent his days devising a system that was almost perfect in its schedules. Everybody cleaned house in the morning, with just time for a hurried lunch before squeezing into the uniforms for the matinee, and as soon as the rush was over all but two of the boys were taken off to perform other duties.

HE WOULD STAND IN RAPT ADMIRATION.

Those who remained were water boys, parading the aisles with trays of glasses, which they offered to the patrons. Now and then a penny or even a nickel or a dime fell to the water carrier, but Billy was content if the ladies smiled their thanks.

All this was before "E 112" came.

After that there was but one woman in the world for William, just as there is but one woman for each of us at some stage of boyhood.

"E 112" was worthy of his worship. Even the box office boy had confided to Calkins, the manager, that it was "a dead swell dame who took up the seat for Tuesday mats," and the manager had condescended to approve the statement, though Calkins' own preference was for blonds. "E 112" had dark hair of the soft, wavy kind that makes a fellow long to stroke softly, admiringly.

But Billy remembered nothing but her eyes after he had received one direct glance. He could look into those liquid depths clear down into the untroubled soul beyond.

Every Tuesday afternoon the girl occupied the same seat. The Century reserved seats for its regular patrons by the season, and once when the head usher sought to shift Billy to the balcony, where there was a better chance of making tips, Billy promptly forgot the fact that it was supposed to be a favor and pummeled his benefactor until the latter promised to put him back on his old aisle.

To such an extent had Billy become enslaved that he even rejoiced in the water job. He would work the front rows very slowly, waiting with patience for each patron to finish with a glass, and when "E 112" asked for a drink he would stand in rapt admiration, ignoring the request of others for glasses from the tray until she had returned hers and there was no longer any excuse for standing at her side.

Long before the middle of the season Eleanor Golden, otherwise "E 112," had come to know the earnest, freckled little face, and the day that she passed him in the street and gave him a nod and a bright smile was a golden one in the Baxter calendar.

Then came the day which even now Calkins hates to recall because of its one moment of nightmare. There was an act at the house that opened with the supposed explosion of an automobile off the stage, the comedian entering with a tire and part of the rim of a wheel hung about his neck.

The effect was obtained in the time honored fashion of firing into the air a shotgun loaded with salt instead of shot. The salt scattered harmlessly, and yet the report was louder than when powder alone was used.

On this day a tiny bit of the wadding was carried into the air and fluttered against one of the huge drops hung above the stage.

There were four of these hung close together, and no one noticed the spiral of flame run up between this drop and the next. The scenery was fireproofed, but the rough surface of the canvas was coated with dust, and the dust carried the flame.

A watchful fireman discovered the smoke and turned in an alarm, while he gave the signal to the stage manager to lower the fire curtain.

As the great asbestus shield descended one of the actors stepped before the curtain line and made an announcement that an accident had occurred.

"There is positively no danger," he assured, "but merely as a precaution you are asked to leave the house as quickly as possible."

The band was still playing and the people in the rear of the house were moving toward the entrance when the stage hands in the flies cut the ropes and permitted the scenery to fall to the stage, where the fire could be fought with greater ease.

Until then there had been an orderly movement. At the speaker's suggestion the people in front were waiting until those in the rear seats had gone that there might be no crowding.

Billy, watching over "E 112," had his sharp eyes on the people in his section, and as the heavy battens from which the scenery was hung came crashing to the stage one man sprang to his feet.

He was sitting in the fourth row, and in a flash Billy realized that should this man break the order of departure there would be a crush in which many would be hurt.

Billy still carried his now useless tray, and quick as a flash he pretended to stumble and fall against the panic stricken man. In falling he thrust the fellow back into his seat, and the ice cold water drenched the man's face and neck and trickled down inside of his clothing.

Those near by laughed, and the crowd, which had been upon the verge of a panic, cooled down. The panic was averted.

But Billy had slipped on one of the thick tumblers rolling under his feet. In an instant he was on the floor of the aisle on top of the clutter of broken glass, and his face and arms were badly cut before the girl in "E 112" could spring to his relief.

Strong arms bore the boy to the head of the aisle, where already the doorkeepers were turning back the crowd with the assurance that the fire was all over. And almost before he realized it Billy was lying on the sofa in the retiring room, and "E 112" was bathing the cut hands and face with soft cloths, while Calkins stood helplessly by.

"Gee," said Billy ruefully, "I bet I have to pay for a new uniform. This looks like I been working in a butcher shop."

"Nonsense," broke in Calkins, who could be human at times, though it was seldom that he exhibited this trait. "You saved the day, Billy, and you can have a new uniform every week if you want one. This lady tells me that in drenching that fool you stopped a panic."

"Well, he had it coming to him," said Billy. "He was a husky guy in D 112, and he had the willies, he was so scared. I says to myself that if he got 'em runnin' 'E 112' would have the chance of a snowball in—well, you know where. So I plugged him wit' the glasses, and then he was good for awhile. I wouldn't let them walk all over you," he added to the girl.

The glorious eyes grew more tender as she realized what the boy was saying. Men had sought to do great things to show their love for their ladyloves, but this boy of twelve was as brave and as fearless as any knight who ever wore his lady's favor in his helmet.

His thought had been solely for her, yet he had probably saved scores from death or injury, and it was she who was responsible for the deed. Slowly she bent her beautiful head and pressed her lips against his own.

"It was very brave of you, dear," she said in a whisper. "I am very proud to think that it was for me you did so fine a deed."

Billy blushed; then he looked with adoring eyes into the brown ones that were searching his face.

"I'd burn down the theater every Tuesday—when you come—for that," he declared as he lapsed into unconsciousness, and it was Miss Golden's turn to blush. Could he but know it Billy had for the moment become more than a boy. He was a man and the knight of "E 112."

A Paying Weakness.

For many years a certain old fellow had been engaged by a farmer to gather his potatoes at a fixed sum per acre. He died, however, and the farmer was obliged to get another man. A day or two later the farmer strolled around to see how the new man was progressing. To his surprise, at one end of the field he found a large heap of stones.

"Here, wot's this mean?" he demanded.

"Well, sir," responded the man in charge of the operation, "we thought we'd save ye a bit of trouble next seedtime, so whenever we finds a stone in the taties we just dumps it down there."

"Ah," remarked the farmer sadly, "I shall never find another man like Sam, the old one."

"Oh," replied the other, rather nettled, "why, old Sam was rather blind an' didn't know a stone when he seen one."

"Mebbe he didn't, and mebbe he did," sighed the farmer, "but he worn't so particular about keepin' 'em out of the taties. They weighs." — London Answers.

62nd ANNUAL INSTITUTE.

Of the Centre County Teachers to be Held in Bellefonte.

The sixty-second Teachers' Institute will convene in the court house, in Bellefonte, on Monday morning, December 18th; and continue until Friday, January 1st. A program of unusual strength and benefit has been prepared and the different discussions have been arranged with a view of treating the many practical and puzzling questions which arise in the daily work of both teacher and higher instructor. Perhaps in no other field of work is there less of theory and more of practical concrete work than in the school-room. Life is too short to indulge in new fangled or theoretical practices when the time can better be devoted to solid improvement. The following instructors for the week will be present and will without doubt meet with popular favor, for all are men of high standing in this kind of work: Dr. Henry R. Stanford, Director of Institutes, State of New York; Dr. Uric N. Roark, President State Normal School, Richmond, Ky.; Prof. Harland E. Hall, Principal of the High School, Mansfield, Ohio; Dr. Edwin Earle Sparks, President Pennsylvania State College; Dr. E. A. Ott, and other leading educators. The discussions will be broad and comprehensive in their digest and will afford a varied field of study for the really up-to-date teacher, who must in every essential keep abreast of the times.

The evening entertainments this year will be probably more interesting and impressive than ever before. Every feature on the program is one of special merit, and in missing any of them a rare opportunity will be lost. On Monday evening Prof. Harland E. Hall will present a lecture upon the subject, "Tom and His Teacher." This lecture contains a special message to the teacher; director and parent who has at heart the interest of the child, and should not be missed. On Tuesday evening Dr. Edward A. Ott will present one of his three lectures, "Sour Grapes," which abounds in philosophy, good common sense and fine humor. Dr. Ott has won a high position in Lyceum work and is considered an authority upon elocution. His lectures are highly praised throughout the entire country.

On Thursday evening a lecture will be presented on the subject, "Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis," by Hon. Thomas P. Gore, United States Senator from Oklahoma. Practically every citizen in Centre county has heard of Senator Gore, the blind member of the Senate, and how he has triumphed over stupendous obstacles, until today he holds one of the highest offices in our government. An orator of mighty eloquence, who moves men at will by the sway of his personality, this is the opportunity of a life time to see and hear this remarkable man from our youngest State.

From the arrangements thus far completed, and only details remain to be finished, we have no hesitency in declaring that the coming Centre county Teachers' Institute will be the most profitable and interesting ever held in Bellefonte.

The Twenty-Second annual convention of the School Director's Association of Centre county will also be held in Bellefonte, in Petrikin Hall, on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 29, 30, in connection with the institute work. A very interesting and instructive program has been prepared for the directors and it is trusted that a large number of the members will be present for the occasion.

Republicans Spent $85,000 in the State.

Harrisburg, Dec. 11.—The campaign statement of Charles Johnson, treasurer of the Republican state committee, was filed at the state department Dec. 3rd the last day for filing such statements.

The statement shows that the total receipts were $85,676.19. Of this sum $85,079, 17 was expended, leaving a balance on hand of $596.02. In addition to the money actually expended the committee has unpaid bills outstanding to the amount of $11,105,95.

The heaviest contribution came from the Republican National committee, which gave Pennsylvania $30,000. Next in amount is William D. Porter, re-elected judge of the superior court, who gave $2,500. Other contributors follow:

Philip H. Johnson, $300; Samuel G. Dixon, $300; William Connell, $500; James E. Roderick, $1,000; Lewis Emry, Jr., $200; Harry C. Trexler, $500; M. Hampton Todd, $250; J. C. Rock, $1,000; Edward Morrell, $500; John O. Sheafz; $100; Edwin S. Stuart, $300; James E. Roderick, $250; Josiah Howard, $200; Robert McAfee, $300; A. Johnson, $1,000 Josiah V. Thompson, $1,000; T. J. Foster, $250; David Martin, $180; General Charles Miller, $100.

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THE OTHER GIRL.

By Martha Cobb Sanford.

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Grantham and Cunningham were seated before an open fire at the club enjoying a confidential after dinner smoke.

"So you're the same eligible old bachelor, are you, Grant?" jollied Cunningham. "I phophesied this summer would land you sure. Didn't you meet her, after all?"

"Meet whom?" drawled Grantham good naturedly.

"Oh, this incomparable, irresistible ideal of a woman you're always talking about. Aren't you beginning to fear she may not exist, after all?"

"On the contrary," Grantham answered between puffs, "I'm more than ever sure she does. I've seen her back."

Cunningham burst into a hearty laugh.

"Did she turn it on you, old man?" he teased.

"Not in the way you mean, Cunning," replied Grantham reminiscently. Then, after blowing a few leisurely smoke rings, he waxed communicative.

"You see," he continued, "I've never met her face to face, so she couldn't really turn her back to me. And, what's more, I'm never going to give her the chance."

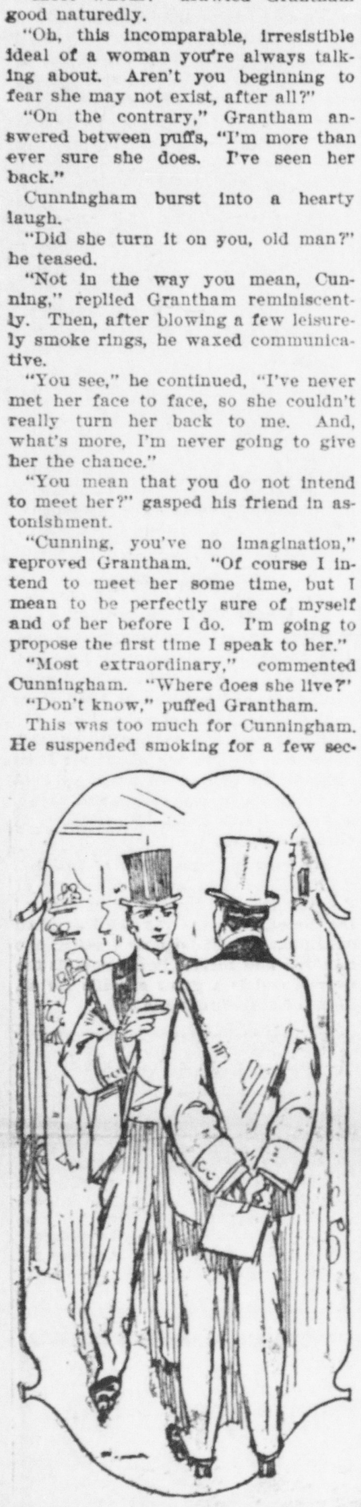
"You mean that you do not intend to meet her?" gasped his friend in astonishment.

"Cunning, you've no imagination," reproved Grantham. "Of course I intend to meet her some time, but I mean to be perfectly sure of myself and of her before I do. I'm going to propose the first time I speak to her."

"Most extraordinary," commented Cunningham. "Where does she live?"

"Don't know," puffed Grantham.

This was too much for Cunningham. He suspended smoking for a few sec-



GRANTHAM STARED AT HIS FRIEND A MOMENT, SCARCELY COMPREHENDING.

onds to observe the placid countenance of Grantham, decided that any speech was inadequate and lit a fresh cigar.

"You see," resumed Grantham, smiling in an exasperatingly satisfied manner, "I just happened to trail after her a bit in a canoe one fine day this summer. The way her queenly little head was set on her shoulders and the way her soft hair blew about in the wind and the way she handled a paddle"—

"Here, hold on!" interrupted Cunningham, brutally unsympathetic. "Do you mean to say that you can rave like that over a girl whose face you have never seen?"

Grantham nodded.

"Bet she's as homely as a mud fence," grunted Cunningham.

"That doesn't make any difference," announced Grantham. "I love her, and I shall marry her just the same."

"And meanwhile you don't even know where she lives," Cunningham reminded him.

"Oh, I have a notion I may meet her any day. My guide said the guide in her canoe was taking around some Boston people. So you see the case isn't hopeless, Cunning," Grantham concluded affably.

By the time the two men had met again Grantham had seen her.

"Her face?" demanded Cunningham abruptly.

"No, just her back," sighed Grantham ecstatically.

"Well, how in thunder did you recognize her—that's what I'd like to know?"

"Grantham, I'd know her anywhere. Whether she wore a little white sweater, a tailor made gown or an evening frock, I'd know her. She can't disguise the pose of that queenly head. She can't"—

"Probably she can't," interrupted Cunningham indifferently. "But I must say the affair's a little too high pitched for my common comprehension. My sister thinks it's awfully exciting, though. I've been telling her about it.

"Says she'd just be in the seventh heaven of happiness if anything so romantic—I think that's the word she used—ever happened to her. Tried to convince me that it was noble and courageous of you to declare you'd marry a girl you knew you could love no matter what she looked like. I told her it was idiotic foolishness."

At this Grantham chuckled and settled himself still more comfortably in the big easy chair. "She would be perfectly stunning," he mused, sotto voce, "in an evening frock."

Cunningham sighed. "Let's go to the theater," he urged. "You ought to keep in the public eye, you know, if you're going to bring this will-o'-the-wisp chase to a finish."

The play was fairly amusing, but Grantham found time to study the backs of the different women.

Suddenly toward the end of the second act he grasped Cunningham's arm tightly.

"She's here," he whispered. "Look in the second lower box at the left."

Cunningham looked. In fact, he had scarcely looked anywhere else since the play began.

"Isn't she beautiful?" Grantham breathed.

Cunningham nodded sullenly. "Come on out," he almost commanded as the curtain fell on an unheeded climax. In a corner of the lobby, apart from the crowd, the two men halted. Cunningham cleared his throat.

"Grantham," he began impressively, "I have to shatter your dream. But you can't have her. I've chosen her myself."

"Has she chosen you?" he asked quietly.

"Why, no; I can't say that she has," Cunningham admitted reluctantly. "But I'm hoping she will. I'm playing a very discreet game. I'm not boring her to death the way all the others are."

"You'll introduce me?" Grantham asked quietly.

Cunningham hesitated, but only for the fraction of a minute. "Certainly," he answered courteously.

The two men entered the box just as the curtain was going up for the third act. The introductions were necessarily hurried.

"Miss Curtiss," Cunningham said briefly and formally, "Mr. Grantham." Then, turning, with a familiar nod, to the other young woman in the box, he added: "Nell, this is Mr. Grantham. You've heard me speak of him. Grant, my sister."

After the first scene conversation began again.

"He's a great admirer of yours, Miss Curtiss," Cunningham said, indicating Grantham, "or, rather, I should say, another great admirer of yours."

"Nonsense," laughed Miss Curtiss. "It's your sister he admires. He hasn't taken his eyes off her since he came into the box."

Cunningham's astonishment was exceeded only by his relief. He felt like clapping Grantham on the shoulder and wishing him good luck. But Grantham was getting on very well without any such encouragement.

"Of course," he was telling Nell, with an unembarrassed frankness that she found most embarrassing, "I'm glad you are so wonderfully beautiful, but I should have loved you just the same if your eyes had not been so blue and if your chin hadn't had a dimple in it."

"Oh, please, Mr. Grantham!" protested Nell blushingly. "You mustn't."

"But I thought you'd understand," pleaded Grantham wistfully. "Your brother said"—

"Yes, yes; I know," admitted Nell quickly, "but you see I didn't know it was my romance then. I thought it was some other girl's."

"But didn't you say you'd be in the seventh heaven of delight if anything so romantic ever happened to you?" Grantham cross questioned her gently. "I had banked all my hopes on that. I told myself that was the way the other girl would feel."

"Yes," Nell answered dreamily. Then, after a moment's pause, "But it's all so very sudden."

"Not for me," pleaded Grantham. "I've loved you ever since I first saw you, and you've really loved me ever since your brother told you about me, so"—

"Indeed I haven't," contradicted Nell warmly. "I've only envied the other girl."

At this Grantham laughed softly.

"But since there isn't any other girl you aren't really going to turn your back on me for good, dear, are you?"

At this Nell turned a face of such radiant happiness upon him that Grantham knew he need have no fear. Still her answer wasn't just what he expected.

"If only I were that other girl and as homely as a mud fence," she told him mischievously, "I'd know exactly what to answer."

A Contest of Experts.

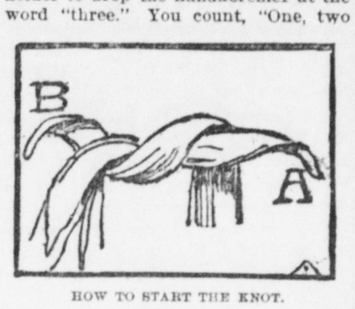
Ian Maclaren used to tell a story of two Scots worthies, douce elders o' the kirk, who found themselves alone in the compartment of a railway carriage traveling in Perthshire, and, thrown upon each other for company, they fastened on a knotty point in theology to beguile the time. The subject of controversy was whether a man is saved by faith or works. The discussion became heated, and the train drew up at the destination of one of the debaters not a moment too soon. Loath to give up the argument, they continued to wrangle until the train began to move out of the station, and the discharged passenger had to run along the platform to eke out the precious moments left for a last word. The subject seemed to hang fire for a perilous moment—the train was accelerating its speed—when back from the figure leaning far out of the carriage window came the cry, "Hebrews—ten—thirty-eight!" ("The just shall live by faith.") Quick as lightning the other flung after the receding antihomian, "James—first—twenty-four!" ("By works a man is justified and not by faith only.")—Harper's Weekly.

Young Folks

A DISAPPEARING KNOT.

Handkerchief Trick That Will Mystify Beholders.

This is a very amusing and deceptive trick. You ask any one for a handkerchief and tie the ends firmly together in a double knot, allowing him to feel it or pull the ends as tight as he pleases. You then throw the center of the handkerchief over the knot and ask the person to hold it tight between his finger and thumb. You ask him if the knot is still there, to which he will answer in the affirmative. You then take hold of any part of the handkerchief and direct the holder to drop the handkerchief at the word "three." You count, "One, two



HOW TO START THE KNOT.

three," at which word he loosens his hold of the handkerchief, and there is no vestige left of the knot.

The method of managing this trick is as follows: Take the handkerchief and tie the ends in a simple knot, keeping one end tight and the other end loose. We will call the tight end A and the loose one B. Keep A always in the right hand and on the stretch horizontally, and the handkerchief will look as in the cut. Do this when you tie it the second time and draw B tight, which will then form a double tie round A, but will not hold it firm. When you throw the handkerchief over the knot you draw out A with the finger and thumb of the left hand, and the knot will apparently remain firm, although in reality it is nothing but a double twist of silk; which, of course, falls loose when the handkerchief is dropped.—Philadelphia Ledger.

AN INTELLIGENT DOG.

Noble Newfoundland Which Seemed Endowed With Power to Reason.

A gentleman connected with the Newfoundland fisheries possessed a dog remarkable for his fidelity and sagacity. On one occasion a boat and crew in his employ were in circumstances of considerable peril just outside a line of breakers which, owing to some change in the wind or weather, had since the departure of the boat rendered the return through them hazardous. The spectators on shore were quite unable to render any assistance to their friends afloat. Much time had been spent, and the danger seemed to increase rather than diminish.

Our friend the dog looked on for a length of time, evidently aware that there was great cause for anxiety in the minds of those around. Presently, however, he took to the water and made his way through to the boat. The crew supposed he wished to join them and made various attempts to induce him to come on board. But, no! He would not go within their reach and continued swimming about a short distance away. After the crew had made several comments on the peculiar conduct of the dog one of the hands suddenly suspected his apparent meaning. "Give him the end of a rope," he said. "That's what he wants." The rope was thrown. The dog seized the end in an instant, turned around and made straight for shore, where a few minutes afterward boat and crew, thanks to their four footed friend, were placed safe and undamaged.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Game of References.

In this game each writes replies to the following questions, and when all have written the leader reads the papers aloud, and each one tries to guess the name of the writer:

Who is your favorite author?
Who is your favorite character in fiction?
Who is your favorite character in history?
What is your favorite flower?
What is your favorite color?
What is your greatest pleasure?
What candy do you most prefer?
What is your favorite dinner dish?
And any other questions you care to ask.

A Wonderful Chick.

It was the first time Stewart had seen any very small chickens, and he did not understand that the smooth patches on the sides were wings. When one of the chicks tried to spread his wings Stewart cried:

"See! He's opening his pockets, and there isn't anything in them."

Holidays.

The little folks of China land
Have holidays so strange and grand.
When comes the feast of lanterns, all
The people walk about and call
With gorgeous lanterns shining bright.
It must be such a pretty sight!
The feast of dragon boats they hold
Beside the water. Young and old
Come out to see the dragon boats—
Such odd and curious looking floats—
Race for a prize. Another date
For celebrating is the fete
Called Feast Day of the Moon, on which
Folks everywhere, both poor and rich,
Eat little round cakes colored red.
How queer! I'm glad we have instead
Our good old days of Christmas cheer,
Thanksgiving, Easter and New Year,
The Fourth and all the fun they bring.
I wouldn't change for anything!
—Youth's Companion.

Our Wonderful Railroads.

Gail Hamilton was right when she said that if there were never to be any railways on this continent it would have been an impertinence for Columbus to have discovered it. Only by the railways could its magnificent distances be bridged. Equally correct was Charles Carroll of Carrollton, the last survivor of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, when, on throwing up the first shovelful of earth for the first railway of the United States which was intended to carry passengers and freight, the Baltimore and Ohio, he exclaimed, "I consider this event second only to that of the adoption of the Declaration of Independence, if second even to that." That was in 1828. But England was far ahead of us in railway building in the beginning. Even Russia got a better start than we did. At the outset we imported not only our locomotives and cars, but also the rails on which they were run and the men to run them. However, John Stevens, Peter Cooper, Evan Thomas, Matthias Baldwin and others changed all this and in their various fields laid the foundations of a railway system which is today in dimensions and completeness far ahead of that of any other half a dozen countries in the world combined. —Leslie's Weekly.

The Franz Hals Museum In Holland.

Old Haarlem calls up the shadow of Franz Hals. The museum is verily a sanctuary to his memory. There the famous corporation pictures hang. One sees the members of the various guilds in the fullness of careless life, eating, drinking and merrymaking. Here Hals is seen at the height of his power. The splendid color and directness of work are a revelation. Every figure seems alive, and one is convinced they were all in the flesh once. This great master with one bold stroke of his brush made these men immortal. At eighty years he still painted, and his last picture hangs beside his masterpieces. Haarlem and Hals will be associated as long as the place lasts. One marvels at the execution of the Dutch painters, whether it be in the broad work of Hals or in the miniature finish of the genre masters. All of them had a splendid sense of values, atmosphere and human life; a perfect harmony of relation fills their canvases.—Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

Unconquerable.

It was a veteran soldiery that repeopled the plantations and the homesteads of the south, writes Thomas Nelson Page in the Old Dominion, and withstood the forces thrown against them during the period of reconstruction. In addition to personal pride, self reliance and physical courage, they possessed also race pride, which is inestimable in a great popular struggle.

However beaten and broken they were, the people came out of the war with their spirit unquenched and a belief that they were unconquerable.

A story used to be told of an old Confederate soldier who was trudging home after the war, broken and ragged and worn. He was asked what he would do if the Yankees got after him when he reached home.

"Oh, they ain't goin' to trouble me," he said. "If they do I'll just whip 'em again."

Cold and a Candle.

Dr. Moss of the English polar expedition of 1875 and 1876, among other odd things, tells of the effect of cold on a wax candle which he burned. The temperature was 35 degrees below zero, and the doctor must have been considerably discouraged when, upon looking at his candle, he discovered that the flame had all it could do to keep warm. It was so cold that the flame could not melt all the wax of the candle, but was forced to eat its way down the candle, leaving a sort of skeleton of the candle standing. There was heat enough, however, to melt oddly shaped holes in the thin walls of wax, and the result was a beautiful lacelike cylinder of white, with a tongue of yellow flame burning inside of it and sending out into the darkness many streaks of light.

Siege of Crete.

Crete can claim to have been the scene of one of the longest sieges on record, longer than the siege of Troy, for in the seventeenth century it took the Turks more than twenty years to capture its capital city. The island, in fact, is famous for protracted military operations, for, though the revolution of 1821 was speedily successful in the open country, the fortified towns were still uncaptured when the powers intervened in 1830.

Awkward For the Aeronaut.

An element of humor characterized one of Mr. Spencer's Indian experiences. One day, after making a parachute descent, his balloon, traveling on, came down among some fisher folk, who promptly unpicked the net to use for fishing lines and cut up the balloon to make waterproof clothing!—London Captain.

Humility and Vanity.

It is the humble man that advances. He recognizes his imperfections and strives to improve. His progress is the result of his knowledge of self. The vain, conceited, arrogant man stands still.

A Rule of Auto Etiquette.

No gentleman will take another man's automobile out in the country and blow it into such small pieces that it cannot be removed to a repair shop. —Chicago Record-Herald.

Quite Obvious.

A needle has only one eye, but it looks sharp just the same.—London Family Herald.

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EDITORIAL.

NEW YORK'S MARRIAGE LAW.

New York has tardily fallen into line with other states by adopting a marriage license law which, while it differs in no essential from that of Pennsylvania, in its initial enforcement is encountering a remarkable degree of opposition from the persons particularly affected. People are writing to the newspapers complaining that the new law is "unnecessary, foolish and offensive," and asking that it either be repealed or its obnoxious features eliminated. The questions asked of applicants are characterized as inquisitorial, and impertinent," whereas they are practically the same as those employed in all states which have a marriage law. A particularly sore point in the fact that the newspapers in printing the names of applicants also give their ages. Feminine readers, as might be expected are unanimous in their condemnation of this practice, but it is not the law that is to blame. It is necessary that candidates for matrimony shall give their ages and take oath that they are telling the truth This feature is essential not only to the collection of vital statistics but in order to insure the eligibility of candidates under the law. *In* most states the newspapers show their good taste by refraining from publishing such intimate details to be found in applications for marriage licenses, but it is absolutely necessary that the public shall have access to the records. York state folks make a serious mistake when they argue against the law on this ground.

Another alleged cause for complaint is the fee of one dollar for issuing the license. It is declared in many quarters that no charge should be made, since it tends to discourage matrimony. It may be said that persons to whom this amount would be a burden have no business to wed until their circumstances improve. The tone of a number of New York state newspapers is distinctly opposed to the new law, and a return to the old system, under which clergymen and magistrates performing the ceremony, asked a list of prescribed questions, to which the couple made oath, is advocated. The people of most states agree that the marriage license system is more desirable, from every point of view, and New York will no doubt find it so after it has given it a thorough trial.

TARIFF witnesses before the ways and means committee are now put under oath. This will cut out glittering generalities and hot air, and it may let in some facts.

WITH the kaiser angry and sick abed and Von Buelow sounding war alarms, the gunmakers and shipbuilders of Germany find it unnecessary to worry about hard times.

JAMES J. STORROW, a Boston banker may become president of Harvard university. My, but won't the rhymsters have fun with that name!

THE Dupont family has been in the powder business 107 years Therefore the Dupont company is not a trust. At least that is what the *Du*ponts say.

A NEW MESSAGE FROM MARS

Professor Percival Lowell has a new message from Mars in the effect that it not only has an atmosphere, but a considerable amount of vapor just how much of the latter cannot be determined, since there is at present no method of measuring it. The details of the investigations leaves no doubt that these facts may be admitted unqualifiedly. The importance lies in the fact that those who have so long opposed a theory of intelligent life on Mars have declared it impossible because of an absence of atmosphere and of water, the two prime essentials for any kind of life of which we have any knowledge.

Doubtless the new information will have a considerable effect in upholding the other Lowell theory that the canals are artificially constructed to meet conditions on that planet, although it can hardly be said that the question is definitely settled. This matter of vapor is one of the most important of recent astronomical discoveries, and the discovery has been announced only after the most careful and repeated painstaking observations. All we are justified in saying at present is that conditions on Mars apparently are such as to make life of almost any kind possible. It is admitted that the atmosphere is very rare, possibly only one-fifth of that on the earth, but living creatures may adapt themselves to existing conditions. On this earth we have life at great depths of the sea and on high mountain tops.

Professor Lowell has the finest observatory extant for studying this neighboring planet, and although he is by many astronomers looked upon as too much of an enthusiast, he has certainly added greatly to our knowledge concerning it. There seems no present likelihood that we shall soon have any complete demonstration of the existence of life on that planet, although that there is verdure is becoming more and more the opinion of those who have studied the subject.

It is impossible to go into the details here of some of the most extraordinary scientific observations on record, which profess to have established the facts of atmosphere and vapor on Mars, but it may be said that the spectroscope has been the principal agent, the instrument which has added more to our knowledge of the universe than any other invention of mankind and which was first used well within the memory of living men. The heavens are being revealed to us more and more and our descendants are likely to look back upon us as living in a very crude state of knowledge on the subject.

"PAT" CROWE, EVANGELIST.

It must be said that "Pat" Crowe, the kidnaper, in the role of an evangelist is far from an edifying spectacle. Thursday night he made his debut before an Evanston, Ill., audience and "pleaded eloquently" for prison reform and the reclamation of youthful criminals, Crowe has had sufficient experience behind the bars to qualify as an expert on prison life, but it is somewhat startling to find him posing as a reformer. It it impossible not to feel disgust at his latest bid for publicity. The public still remembers how after committing one of the most despicable crimes possible, Crowe, while he was awaiting trial, brazenly asserted the poor man's alleged right to be revenged upon the rich and to take "his share" of their possessions by force. Upon his release his conduct indicated the reverse of repentance and he seemed to take delight in his reputation as a "bad man" and the attention he attracted wherever he went.

There have been cases where notorious criminals have repented and devoted the remainder of their lives to atoning for the wrongs they had committed. Reformed men have done noble work in reclaiming former companions but they have given proof that they were deserving of confidence. While nobody would wish to put a stone in the way of Crowe's return to respectability, it would be in better taste if he had remained on probation a little longer. Any mother, remembering the man's record, would be pardoned for drawing her little children more closely around her if Crowe were in the vicinity. What parent could listen to the man's sanctimonious remarks without a feeling of adnorrence? By leading a decent, honest life in seclusion for a term of years. Crowe might eventually rehabilitate his damaged reputation and be received as a deserving member of society, but his lightning change methods must inevitably be regarded with suspicion.

CHANCES are that Abe Ruef continues to have a poor opinion of the law.

BRITISH Liberals have begun a movement to abolish the house of lords. This will eventuate about time the pigs begin to fly.

THOUGH they have been doing a deal of talking about waterways at Washington this week it does not follow that they are all on the water wagon.

J. PIERPONT MORGAN declares that the man who is a bear on the future of this country will lose money. Needless to add that Mr. Morgan is not a bear.

Funeral of Alonzo Baughman.

Monday's Tyrone Herald gives the following account of the funeral of Alonzo Baughman, the engineer who was killed on the Snow Shoe mountain last Thursday.

On Sunday afternoon the First Methodist Episcopal church of Tyrone, was filled with friends of the late Alonzo Thomas Baughman to pay a last tribute of love and respect. As the body and the friends were entering the church, Mrs. Beyer played very sweetly, "Jesus Lover of My Soul," after which a quartet of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waring, Miss Virginia VanScoyoc and S. B. Beyer, sang the beautiful hymn which had been played. Rev. John H. Daugherty preached an earnest sermon from Job 14, 14, using as his theme, "If a Man die shall he live again." The quartette then sang "In the Hour of Trial" and "It is not death to die." Rev. Daugherty was assisted in the services by Rev. Clarence Taylor, of the First Baptist church. The floral tributes were beautiful. Among the emblems was a broken column of roses and carnations, sent by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen No. 552, and a large pillow of orange blossoms, roses and carnations, sent by the Junior Order United American Mechanics. The body rested in a handsome couch casket which was covered with flowers and the American flag. The casket bearers were the following Brotherhood men and intimate friends of the deceased: Messrs. Clyde Wesmer, Aden Wertz, Herbert Gibson, Roy Updyke Harry Robinson and Thomas Ammerman. The first named young man was with Mr. Baughman in the wreck on Thursday when the engine and two cars rolled over the Snow Shoe mountains. The following gentlemen were here from the branch to attend the services, Messrs. Clay Hall, Foster Friday, William McAvoy, Dorsey Lewis, George Peters, John Fulton, Herbert Gibson, Charles Copelin, Fred Hollabaugh, B. T. Powell and Harvey Meese. Interment was made in Grandview cemetery.

Storage Rules.

Taking effect today the following storage rules are adopted: Explosives, such as powder, dynamite and etc., if not removed within 2 days will be subject to charge of 50 cents per hundred pounds, after 10 days property will be disposed of. Less explosive articles same ruling with charge of 35 cents per 100 pounds. Inflammables, such as oils, liquids and etc., same ruling as above at 25 cents per 100 pounds, and 10 to 30 days on hand 30 cents per 100 lbs., after 30 days property will be disposed of. Other inflammable articles such as waste, fertilizers, matches and etc., same ruling at 10 cents per 100 pounds, 10 to 30 days, 15 cents per 100 pounds. Other articles from above mentioned followed six days free time. On hand 10 days or less, three cents per 100 pounds, on hand 10 to 30 days, five cents per 100 pounds. 30 days and every additional 30 days, five cents per 100 pounds.

The above is mentioned as being in effect at the P. R. R. freight station of this city for the convenience of the public and should be read carefully by everybody receiving freight.

Woods Liver Medicine in liqid from regulates the liver relives sick headache constipation stomach, kidney disorders and acts as a gentle laxative. For chills fever and malaria. Its tonic effects on the system felt with the first dose. The $1.00 bottle contains 2½ times as much as the 50c size. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills stop pain in just a few minutes. Sold by druggists everywhere, 25 doses 25c, not sold in bulk.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT

Bellefonte Elks to Give Show for Benefit of Sweet Charity's Sake.

The Bellefonte Lodge of Elks, will give a Christmas charity entertainment in the opera house on Thursday evening Dec 17h for the benefit of the worthy poor of Bellefonte. There will be two concert-minstrels, the beginning at 7 o'clock sharp and the other at 9 o'clock. The performance will consist of moving pictures, and vaudeville, a double show of the latest moving pictures taken can be found, together with the best local talent singing, dancing and vaudeville sketches will insure a first class evening's entertainment. This performance is not given as a benefit for the Elks, as not a cent of the proceeds will go into the lodge treasury but will be spent in bringing Christmas cheer into the homes of the poor and needy in this vicinity. The price of admission will be 25cts. to all parts of the house. No reserved seats, come early if you wish to secure the best seats. Tickets will be sold at the door to any who have not procured them from members of the lodge. Remember the time 7 and 9 o'clock.

Need of water is Great.

A dispatch from Mahanoy City says: Because of a scarcity of water the Schuylkill Traction company, which operates about 40 miles of trolley line in the Mahanoy and Shenandoah valleys, and drew the fires from under the boilers of its big power plant at Girardeville and suspended the line until rain falls. Midvalley colliery, in the lower part of Columbia county, is shut down for lack of water, and the towns of Ashland and Shenandoah are again suffering from an insufficient supply for domestic purposes.

The Shamokin company supplying water to the collieries in that region, which employ 10,000 men and boys, recently served notice on the coal companies that unless weather conditions changed the water supply would have to be curtailed fifty per cent. The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company at once posted notices at the collieries that all of them would be closed Monday for an indefinite period unless there was a rainfall in the meantime.

Unclaimed Letters

The following letters remain in the Bellefonte P. O. uncalled for Dec 5th 1908.

Miss Lizzie Barner, Joseph Kellicker, Frank Kline, Chas. Wolfe.

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"I cannot tell you how happy I feel, but you will know. I never heard of such medicine; it is the best medicine on earth. My husband is now taking it. I will always keep Peruna in my house. Peruna is the best friend I ever had. It must be praised; it cured me."

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Another Home

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"I was restored to health by this medicine. People ask about me from different places, and are surprised that I can do all of my housework alone, and that I was cured by the doctor of chronic catarrh.

"My husband was cured of asthma, my daughter of earache and catarrh of the stomach, and my son of catarrh of the throat. When I was sick I weighed one hundred pounds; now I weigh one hundred and forty. Peruna quiets the nerves, and is a great specific for all forms of chronic catarrh."

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Bees Laxative Cough Syrup always brings quick relief to coughs colds, hoarseness, whooping-cough and all bronchial and throat trouble. Mothers especially recommend it for children Pleasant to take, gently laxative. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

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Preventics, the new Candy Cold Cure Tablets, are said by druggists to have four special specific advantages over all other remedies for a cold. First—They contain no Quinine, nothing harsh or sickening. Second—They give almost instant relief. Third—pleasant to the taste, like candy. Fourth—A large box—48 Preventics—at 25 cents. Also fine for feverish children. Sold by J. Zeller & Son.

Yes Christmas Comes by the Calendar Promptly on Time

BUT

:=A Merry Christmas=:

Comes neither by the calendar nor by chance, but by careful and discriminate preparations, and so far as Food Delicacies and Edibles of all kinds go towards making a real Merry Christmas, we are prepared to contribute liberally (for a consideration) of those things that help to bring good cheer to this festal occasion.

In fruits we have fine Oranges at 25c., 30c., 40c., 50c. and 60c. per dozen. Bananas at 15c., 20c., and 25c. per dozen. Grape Fruit at 5c., 8c. and 10c. a piece. Tangarines at fair prices. Figs at 15c., 20c. and 25cc. per pound. Dates 10c. and 15c. per lb. Fine cluster table Raisins at 35c. per pound. Currants and Seedless Raisins 12c. and 15c. per lb. Imported Princess paper-shell Almonds 30c. Hard shell Almonds 25c. per pound. Bright thin shell Walnuts 20c. and 25c. Mixed Nuts 20c. and 23c. per pound. Maple Sugar and Syrup. Comb Honey. Old Style pure sugar Table Sprup at 40c. 50, 60c gal Fine cream cheese-imported Swiss, Limberger, Roquefort, Edam and Neufchatel. MINCE MEAT-our own make, just as fine as can be made, 12½c. per pound. If you haven't tried it yet you have missed an important item. Our stock of Canned and Cured Fruits, Confectionery, Crackers and Biscuits is very complete. Fine Cranberries are high in price and hard to get but we have succeeded in getting a supply of desirable fruit which we will sell at a reasonable price. We will have fine Sweet Potatoes if weather permits shipping. Burnetts High Grade Flavoring Extracts and Color Pastes.—We have the goods. Come to us for what you want. Save yourself the time and trouble of shopping the town and you will be well pleased with what you get.

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Correspondence.

Pine Glenn.

Fine sleighing.

Vandora Meeker and Boston Daugherty made a business trip to Bellefonte on Tuesday.

James Dixon of Zion made a business trip to the Glenn last week.

Mrs. Sallie Boak departed on Monday for Philadelphia where she will spend the winter.

Jacob Beightol of Clearfield spent Friday and Saturday at Samuel Beightol.

Messrs Cramer, Barr, James and John Lucas of Moshannon attended League on Sunday evening. Come again boys.

The Epworth League will be entertained at the home of Isabel Beates on Friday evening. All are cordially invited.

Wm. Meeker and son were called home on Saturday on account of his daughter Flora being ill.

Butchering over and it is said that Robert Askey takes the lead in killing the largest and finest hogs this season,

Alonzo Harte who is now employed at Cato spent Sunday at home.

George Loy of West Port spent a few days at home last week,

The festival held by the league on Friday night was quite a success. the out of town visitors were as following; Mrs. Roland Barger and friend Miss Lucas, Messrs Colver, Raymond and Wm. Williamson James and John Lucas all of Moshannon.

Centre Mills

Mrs. J. W. Cann, daugater of J. A. Kline was taken to the Altoona Hospital for appendicitis. She has been there for three weeks and they have not operated on her as the Doctor cannot definitely locate the trouble. They think her nervous system to weak to undergo an operation.

Adam Neese has been very busy all fall helping people to butcher.

George W. Kline made a business trip to Howard recently.

Robert A. Hoover.

Robert A. Hoover, a native of Centre county died suddenly at his home in Philadelphia at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon of acute indigestion. He was seated in the kitchen talking with his wife when the final summons came and passed away without a struggle. Deceased was born in Centre county, July 25, 1862. He went to Altoona in 1880 and entered the service of the Pennsylvania Railroad company and rose to the position of lumber inspector, which he held until 1903, when he was transferred to the purchasing agent's department and took up his residence in Philadelphia, where he had since resided. He was a member of the Episcopal church and Logan lodge No. 490, Free and Accepted Masons. He is survived by his wife and two sons, Charles and Arthur, both at home. He is also survived by three brothers and one sister; David K. and Frank, of Altoona; William, of Axman, Centre county, and Mrs. Jennie Hazel, of Pleasant Gap. The remains were taken to Altoona Wednesday afternoon and the funeral took place from the train and were in charge of the Masonic fraternity. Services were conducted at the cemetery by Rev. George R. Bishop, pastor of St. Luke's Episcopal church and the Masonic lodge. Interment was made in Oak Ridge cemetery.

Unclaimed Money.

The Williamsport News says: There was deposited in 1899, during the administration of Register and Recorder Keller, with the orphans court, the sum of $285.66 which was the balance from the estate of Mrs. Jane Dawson, who resided in South Williamsport and who died in November 29, 1893. This money awaits claims of a number of heirs who reside in England, Scotland and Australia. Mrs. Dawson was a relative of the late Thomas Dawson, who for years was a well known character in this city and who resided on Park avenue.

Mr. Dawson was administrator. During his life he made every effort to obtain the addresses of these heirs, but was unable to do so and owing to the enormity of the work no attorney has ever desired to go into the matter. The money had evidently been piling up interest at the rate of 2½ per cent. in a local banking institution and unless claimed by the proper heirs within 20 years will become the property of the state,

Basket Ball Game.

The B. H. S. in an exciting and fast game, defeated the B. C. C. by a score of 39—19. The B. C. C. were handicapped by the fact that this was their first attempt to play together. The high school teams work and shooting was superior to their opponents. In the first half the outcome was doubtful but in the second half the better physical condition of the H. S. boys began to show. A good sized crowd was present and it is expected these teams will come together again. On Friday night Dec. 18 the Y. M. C. A. will play the State College freshmen team. A fast game is expected. Tickets on sale at the Y. M. C. A.

Line-up.

B. C. C.		B. H. S.
Kline	Center	Wallace
Saylor	R. Forward	Olewine (Beezer)
Manier	L. "	Bair (Hartranft
Struble	R. Guard	Hollabaugh
Shillings	L. "	Gamble

DECEMBER COURT

Some Important Cases on Trial This Session.

The first case called on Tuesday morning was that of the Commonwealth vs. Harry Toner, charged with wantonly pointing fire arms; prosecutor, George R. Clark. The defendant was driving through Patton township when he was stopped by the prosecutor who notified him that he was over driving his horse, when Mr. Clark alleged Toner drew a revolver and threatened him. Defendant admited he pulled a revolver but declared he did so only after Mr. Clark had taken hold of the horse and refused to allow him to proceed. A verdict of not guilty was rendered and the costs divided between the prosecutor and defendant.

Commonwealth vs. O. P. Owens, assault and battery; prosecutor James Summers. Mr. Owens is agent for the National Biscuit company and Mr. Summers claimed that he assaulted him with a chair in his restaurant in Crider's Exchange. The defendant waived the finding of the grand jury and plead guilty. Sentence was suspended upon the defendant paying the costs.

Commonwealth vs. John Boyce, of Clarence, assault and battery and aggravated assault and battery. Bill ignored and prosecutor to pay the costs

Commonwealth vs. D. P. Swartz, indicted for larceny and receiving stolen goods. Mr. Swartz was charged with stealing a barrel from the Howard Canning company on the night of September 20th. The jury returned a verdict of guilty of receiving stolen goods.

The case of the Commonwealth against the borough of Philipsburg took up the time of the court from Tuesday evening until Thursday morning. The charge was maintaining a nuisance in refusing to keep an alley in proper condition, Mr. Gates being the prosecutor. A verdict of not guilty was returned. Mr. Miller, attorney for South Philipsburg and Mr. Gates will probably make a motion for a new trial today.

The last case on Thursday afternoon before the adjournment of court was that of the Commonwealth vs George Walker, of Snow Shoe, two indictments of non-support, one for his wife and one for his child. A verdict of guilty on both was returned by the jury.

The grand jury submitted its report on Wednesday afternoon, recommending a number of repairs about the court house and jail.

Court adjourned at two o'clock Thursday afternoon after issuing bench warrants for two defendants who were supposed to be in court at that time for trial.

SECOND WEEK.

The second week of court convened Monday morning with Judge Ellis L. Orvis presiding. H. G. Geddes was sworn in as Court Reporter in the various courts of Centre County. He hails from Luzerne County, and seems to be a very pleasant and affable gentlemen as well as a competent reporter.

The Court appointed D. F. Fortney, Esq., Auditor to audit the accounts of the Register, Recorder and Prothonotary of Centre County.

The first case of the week was that of Katie Jacobs against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. It seems the husband of Katie Jacobs had been in the employ of P. R. R., and had taken out a policy in the Relief Association. Afterwards he left the employ of the company but said company had taken enough money off of him to pay the insurance to the middle of June 1907. He however died early in June 1907. The company refused to pay on the ground of his having left their employ. Love and Miller represented the plaintiff and Blanchard the defendant. Verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $1086.

Blanch McClincy vs. Blanche McClincy administratrix of George McClincy. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $595.90.

Benjamin Kelley vs John Winning and Wilbur Winning. This was a dispute growing out of a line fence between two farms. Mr. Kelly claimed damages. The jury awarded him $1.00 damages and definitely fixed the line fence.

The next case which was called Tuesday morning was that of Effie E. Burkholder vs H. H. Harshberger, the Hasting estate and John G. Love. It seems that H. H. Harshberger was guardian for the five Burkholder children. Through bad investments he lost their money amounting in all to about $12,000. The late D. H. Hastings and John G. Love were sureties in the case of Effie E. Burkholder now Ripka. Mrs. Ripka became of age about seven years ago and the defense set up was that the relationship of guardian and ward had ceased when his final account was filed about six years ago, and that it was just a common debt against Harshberger alone. The jury returned a verdict against them however for $2333.67. The defendants on Wednesday appealed for a new trial.

Verdict against H. H. Harshberger alone were obtained by the other heirs as follows: Morris F. Burkholder $2318.33 Wilbur E. Burkholder $2292.34, Harry F. Burkholder $2318.33, Ammon R. Burkholder $3283.33

STATE COLLEGE STUDENTS.

Make Practical Test of Dynamometer Car on B. F. V. R. R

On Monday a body of State College students taking railroad engineering, accompanied by two instructors from that department, made a trip over the Bald Eagle Valley branch of the Pennsylvania railroad.

The trip was made from Tyrone to Lock Haven for the purpose of giving practical instruction of the new Dynamometer car recently built by the Pennsylvania Railroad company which perhaps is the first for this in the world. The train was drawn by the locomotive belonging to State college to which was attached the new dynamometer car and a long draft of ordinary freight cars. The train was in charge of the regular railroad crew and as it pulled into the station at Lock Haven some of the students were in the cab of the locomotive, others on the cylinder of the engine, while still others were operating the dynamometer car, which was attached immediately in the rear of the locomotive. Some time ago the Pennsylvania Railroad company placed this car at the disposal of State college so that students studying railroad engineering could make certain tests each year and the first trip of its kind was made Monday.

As stated above, the dynamometer car was attached immediately behind the locomotive and ahead of all other cars in the train. With this car the students were able to measure the pull (or push) in thousand pounds which the engine exerts on the train during the entire run. At the same time this wonderful machine indicates the grades, up and down, and the nature of all curves on the line. By testing various lines of track, locomotives and trains with this car it is possible to determine what grades and curves ought to be eliminated or changed and also the most economical loads to place on the various types of locomotives for the various runs to get the best results. By the means of this car much valuable information is obtained concerning the efficiency of the different types of engines.

The test made by the college students on this trip were most interesting and they secured much valuable information that they could not have obtained in any other manner.

Do it Now.

"The way for present givers to insure the quickest and surest delivery is to express their gifts early," said Harry Taylor, the efficient agent of the Adams Express company, today. "Most persons wait until the last minute to express their holiday gifts," said Mr. Taylor, "The result is a terrific rush and it becomes difficult to get sufficient local and train transportation facilities." An increase of 20 to 25 per cent in holiday shipments is expected this year. "Perhaps the difficulty lies," continued Mr. Taylor, "In their desire to have the presents reach recipients precisely on Christmas day and that's what works the mischief out of us. We can assist the early shipper to accomplish the desired result, for we have labels at our office bearing the words, "Do not open until Christmas." We will furnish these labels in any quantity to shippers for placing upon their packages. Recipients will always respect the request." Mr. Taylor is right and it not only helps the express men but it takes a whole lot of worry off the minds of those sending the gifts. Sometimes when you wait until the day before Christmas to ship your packages they go astray as the express companies all over the country are rushed with business and through a little mistake someone is missing a Christmas present on Christmas day. She that your gifts are in the express office this week and then your friends will have time to purchase you something pretty in order to reciprocate.

Why He Does It.

"It isn't often that we have faith enough in the medicines put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure," said druggist C. M. Parrish to one of his many customers, "but I am glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that plan.

"The Dr. Howard Co., in order to get a quick introductory sale authorized us to sell the regular fifty cent bottle of their specific for half-price, 25 cents and although we have sold a lot of it, and guarantee every package, not one has been brought back as unsatisfactory.

"One great advantage of this specific" he continued, "is its small dose and convenient form. There are sixty doses in a vital that can be carried in the vest pocket or purse, and every one has more medicinal power than a big pill or tablet or a tumbler of mineral water.

"We are still selling the specific at half price, although we cannot tell how long we shall be able to do so. Any person who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion or a general played out condition, ought to take advantage of this opportunity.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of John D. Thompson late of Howard Borough, deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims to present the same to

JOHN A. THOMPSON,
120 W 11th St. Tyrone, Pa.
D. PARKER THOMPSON,
Howard, Pa.
J. K. Johnston, Attorney, 3d

Farmer's Week.

If you have not seen the program for Farmer's Week at the Pennsylvania State College, which begins Dec. 30, 1908 and closes Jan. 6, 1909, write for it, addressing the School of Agriculture and Experiment Station, State College, Pa.

The program for Farmer's Week at The Pennsylvania State College shows over 100 practical exercises and lectures. They include stock judging, corn-scoring, seed testing, extinction of weed seeds, growing alfalfa, fertilizer results, butter making, milk-testing, cattle feeding, market-dressing, poultry-judging, fruit-grading, cooking demonstrations, forestry, plant diseases, uses of cement and electricity.

The list of speakers includes, not only regular instructors in the schools Agriculture, Engineering and Science, but Director Thorne, of the Ohio Experiment Station; Director Voorhees, of the New Jersey Experiment Station; B. D. White, of the Dairy Division, U. S. Department of Agriculture; Prof. Graham, of the Ontario Agricultural College; H. E. Cook, of New York, and a number of Pennsylvania men eminent in their respective lines of work.

Men and women interested in practical farm or home subjects will find the week, Dec. 30 to Jan. 6, a profitable one to spend at State College. The only expenses are for traveling and living. The Pennsylvania R. R. Company will sell a reduced rate round trip ticket from all stations on its road to Bellefonte or Lemont and return. Get up a party of neighbors to go.

Ran Needle Into Hand.

Mrs. Bert Young of East Bishop street, one day recently ran a needle into the fleshy part of the palm of her right hand, and broke it off, about half the needle remaining in her hand.

Her physician was somewhat baffled in definitely locating the broken needle and naturally did not want to perform an operation to extract the needle without knowing just where it was. In the meantime Mrs. Young could not use her hand and suffered considerable pain in addition.

On Monday it was decided that the best thing to do was to make an X ray examination of her hand in order to determine just where the needle was located. This was done on Monday evening on the X-ray machine in the office of Dr. Locke. A photograph of the hand was taken which, when developed, plainly showed the course of the needle. With the photograph as a chart to go by it required only a slight operation to remove the broken needle, which was done on Wednesday. From the appearance of the needle in the hand, as shown by the photograph, it is evident that in the few days it was there it had worked its way into the hand almost a half inch deeper than it was when first lodged there. This has been one of the best and most successful X-ray tests ever made in Bellefonte and demonstrates the fact that it is not necessary to go away for examinations.

The Matrimonial Market.

The following marriage licenses were issued during the past week by Register Earle C. Tuten.

W. Waide Herman Roxie Belle Keller	Lemont Houserville
Henry W. Smith Carrie E. Shaffer	Nittany Zion
John J. Hazel Maude Cox	Centre Hall Bellefonte
Wm. Reese Nellie Oldham	Sandy Ridge Osceola
Chas. E. McClellan Mabel A. Gill	Milesburg Pleasant Gap

LADY WANTED

Honest industrious woman wanted to introduce our large line of fancy and staple dress goods, waistings, trimmings, etc., among friends, neighbors and townspeople. We also manufacture a full line of perfumes and toilet articles, no soaps. Should be able to earn $20 or more weekly. Dealing direct from the mills our prices are low and patterns exclusive. No money required. Write us for full particulars.

Standard Dress Goods Co.,
Dept. 9, Binghamton, N. Y.

—I wish to announce to my patrons that I have a large stock of cane on hand, for caning chairs. All orders promptly filled in a satisfactory manner. Drop me a postal or call at my shop on shop on East Howard Street,

12-15-tf AMBROSE RAY.

New Bellefonte Restaurant.

Call and get a MEAL TICKET, $4.15 for 21 meals. Your patronage is Respectfully Solicited.

EDWARD F. MURRAY,
SPRING STREET, Next Door to Schofields.

Children Confess to Parents' Crimes.

Fanny and Anna Guise, 14 and 16 years old, attempted to save their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Guise, from the penitentiary by voluntarily confessing in open court that they, and not their parents, had engaged in the wholesale stealing for which the latter were being tried. The attempted martyrdom failed.

Mr. and Mrs. Guise were convicted of receiving the stolen goods and each sentenced to the penitentiary for three years, while the court directed an indictment against the girls, who will be formally arraigned and sent to the House of Refuge.

When Guise's home at Ralston, Lycoming county, was searched, stolen goods were found packed in closets, under beds, in trunks, boxes, flour sacks laid cases and every conceivable place, including an attic over the hallway, reached by a trap door. The shelves of one closet, about fifteen feet long, were found packed with stolen dishes.

When Mrs. Guise was arrested she grabbed a butcher knife, while the officer was in an adjoining room, and the two girls, who tried in court at Williamsport Saturday to take their parents places as culprits engaged in a desperate struggle with the woman before disarming her.

Taft Re elected Head of Red Cross Society.

President elect Taft when he is inaugurated next March will occupy the unique position of being the president of the United States to hold at the same time he occupies that position another office at the head of one of the country's great national independent organizations.

At the annual meeting of the American National Red Cross society Mr. Taft was unanimously re-elected president. He accepted the office after he had been assured by the nominating committee that they had secured from the judge advocate general of the army the opinion that it would be entirely legal for him to retain the presidency of the Red Cross at the same time he is acting as the nation's chief executive.

Mr. Taft personally presided over the meeting of the Red Cross during the afternoon session, actively conducting the business of the society.

Mrs. Russell Sage, in recognition of her services and the gift of $25,000 to the society, and Dr. Louis Klobsch, of the Christian Herald, for his work in organizing the China Flood relief and executing it in the name of the society were unanimously elected honorary members. President Roosevelt is the only other honorary member.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, William H. Taft; vice president, R. W. DeForest, of New York; treasurer, Beckman Winthrop, assistant secretary of the treasury; counsellor, Henry M. Hoyt, U. S. solicitor general; secretary Charles L. Magee.

Herman—Keller

This morning at St. John's Reformed Parsonage, Mr. W. Waide Herman, of Lemont, and Miss Roxie Keller, daughter of Mr. George Keller of Houserville, were joined in holy wedlock, the Rev. Ambrose M. Schmidt officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman have many friends through out the county, whose best wishes will follow them to their new home in Philipsburg where Mr. Herman is engaged in business.

Epilepsy, Fits

Convulsions, or Spasms and St. Vitus' Dance are Nervous Diseases. Most cases can be cured by strengthening and building up the nervous system. To do this a nerve medicine is needed. Dr. Miles' Nervine will be found efficacious and satisfactory. It has cured many cases of these diseases and we believe it will cure you. We can give you names of many who have been cured through its use. Write for advice.

"My son John had epilepsy for years, and after having him treated by specialists for over 2 years he still continued to have spells. I had almost given up in despair, but knowing the virtue of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills for sick headache, I concluded to try the Nervine. During June, 1906, I gave him a teaspoonful three times a day, then in July I gave it as directed, and I could see that he was improving, and he has not had a spell since August 28, 1906, and has taken no medicine since Jan.-07. I am writing the case just as it is hoping it will induce others to try it."
W. R. ALLISON, Mooresville, N. C.

Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Nervine, and we authorize him to return price of first bottle (only) if it fails to benefit you.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind

Monument to Col. Haverly.

The grave of Colonel Jack Haverly, in his day one of the best known American Theatrical managers, which was forgotten and unmarked for many years, was on Tuesday December 15th made safe from obliteration by the dedication of a handsome monument. The grave is in Mount Peace cemetery, Philadelphia.

The monument was presented by George M. Cohan, Sam Harris, and George "Honey Boy" Evans.

The services were held at 2 p. m. and were largely attended. Rev. Floyd W. Tompkins delivered a short address at the dedication exercises; a quartette from Cohan and Harris minstrels rendered two or three vocal selections, while the minstrel band played appropriate music.

Mrs Haverly, the widow, and her daughter, Miss Ida Haverly, who are now residing in New York, attended the ceremonies.

In his day Colonel Jack Haverly was dearly loved by all those who were in his employ, and this includes such notable theatrical men as Al. Hayman, Charles Frohman, Daniel Frohman, Joseph Brooks, Marcus Mayer, Frank McKee and score of others, who have since become shining lights in the managerial end of the theatrical business.

Jack Haverly was born in Bellefonte but left here when a small boy. He has a brother Steele Heverly and a sister Rebecca now living at Axe Mann, and a brother Joseph in Indiana. He was a cousin of A. B. Steele, William Twitmire and Steele Hunter of this place.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In the observance of a time honored custom there will be no issue of the Republican next week Christmas joys and festivities were made for, editors and printers, as well as those engaged in other pursuits, and those whom fortune has smiled upon and the earth caressed and are permitted to live a life of ease away from the marts of trade and the busy haunts of man. We therefore do not feel called upon to make excuses for our intention to take a week off and enjoy ourselves.

The Republican wishes its readers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year overfilled with peace, happiness and prosperity.

You can not make sweet butter in a foul unclean churn. The stomach serves as a churn in which to agitate; work up and disintegrate our food as it is being digested. If it be weak, sluggish liver and bad impure blood.

The ingredients of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are just such as best serve to correct and cure all such derangements. It is made up without a drop of alcohol in its composition; chemically pure, triple-refined glycerine being used instead of the commonly employed alcohol. Now this glycerine is of itself a valuable medicine, instead of a deleterious agent like alcohol, especially in the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia and the forms of indigestion.

Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Medical College Chicago, says of it: In dyspepsia it serves an excellent purpose. * * * It is one of the best manufactured products of the present time in its action upon enfeebled, disordered stomachs."

The christmas Dinner.

In spite of the fact that the word dyspepsia means literally bad cook, it will not be fair for many to lay the blame on the cook if they begin the Christmas Dinner with little appetite and end it with distress or nausea. It may not be fair for any to do that—let us hope so for the sake of the cook! The disease dyspepsia indicates a bad stomach, rather than a bad cook, and for a weak stomach there is nothing else equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It gives the stomach vigor and tone, cures dyspepsia, creates appetite, and makes eating the pleasure it should be.

Two Songs Free.

The New York Sunday World will give the words and music of two songs with its issue of Dec. 20. One song is entitled "O, Lovely Night," from "Tales of Hoffman" now appearing at Manhattan Opera-House. The other song is one from that great favorite. De Wolf Hopper, in his new musical comedy just opened at the Majestic Theatre. It is entitled "It's the Little Things That Count in Life," and it is the hit of "The Pied Piper of Hamelin Town," which is accorded to be the best thing ever put on by De Wolf Hopper.

Charter Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on January fourth, A. D. 1909, by Samuel Saylor, A. F. Engelhardt and H. A. Carson under the act of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called IMPERIAL COAL MINING COMPANY, the character and object of which is to purchase and lease coal lands, carry on the business of mining and shipping coal and manufacturing and shipping coke, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said act of Assembly and its supplements.

GEORGE DOUGLASS CODMAN,
Solicitors.

THE MORNING TUB.

Wonders Wrought Daily Both For Nerves and Complexion.

Nothing could be more beneficial to nerves and complexion than a daily tub, and, indeed, the best bred women consider it an essential to good grooming. But others—and they number astoundingly high—declare they cannot stand either a warm or cold bath daily. They claim it weakens them and makes them catch cold easily. Now, the whole trouble is probably that they do not regulate the temperature of the water to suit their individual systems. Hot baths are weakening, 'tis true, in the long run, and cold baths many women cannot stand. But there are many degrees of tepidity and warmth for those who are not very robust.

It is impossible to lay down any rule as to the precise point of heat to which the tub may be brought, because what would be warm to one person would be chilly to another, the degree of heat depending upon the individual's general physical condition. The nearest one can come to specific instruction is to state that the bath should impart a gentle feeling of warmth as soon as the water touches the body, but that it must not be hot.

This getting into water that is languorously hot is to be commended only when trying to break up a cold or to throw the body into a state of perspiration. There is no reaction from it—indeed, such water is debilitating in effect—and immediately after taking such a tub a person must go to bed. Even resting will not be sufficient, and one would probably waken from a nap feeling weak and languid after a very hot tub.

Under no circumstances should a person remain longer than fifteen minutes in a tub, and ten minutes is enough. This, of course, is in warm water. In cold one would not stay longer than two or three minutes. When in the water use a bath brush. It has excellent cleansing qualities, as it gives surface stimulation if gently rubbed on the skin. A woman who has once used a bath brush will not enjoy her tub without using one.

The tub is best indulged in late in the afternoon, lying down for ten minutes or longer afterward. This is not a good hour for a busy woman, however, and so she will get the most benefit by taking her bath at night just before going to bed.

At times when a bath is impossible a dry rub is excellent. To give it the whole body should be briskly frictioned with a coarse bath towel, stimulating the circulation and preventing the accumulation of dried skin.

A daily morning cold sponge, while it should be taken in addition to rather than instead of the tepid tub, is very stimulating to those who can stand it, and more women could stand it if they tried it in a warm room.

More people are taking Foley's Kidney Remedy every year. It is considered to be the most effective remedy for kidney and bladder troubles that medical science can devise. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects irregularities, builds up worn out tissues and restores lost vitality. It will make you feel well and look well. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

Tickling, tight Cough, can be surely and quickly loosened with a prescription Druggists are dispensing everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. And it is so very, very different than common cough medicines. No Opium, no chloroform, absolutely nothing harsh or unsafe. The tender leaves of a harmless, new healing mountainous shrub, gives the curative properties to Dr Shoop's Cough Remedy. Those leaves have the power to calm the most distressing Cough and to soothe and heal the most sensitive bronchial membrane. Mothers should, for safety's sake alone, always demand Dr. Shoop's. It can with perfect freedom be given to even the youngest babes. Test it yourself and see. Sold by J. Zeller & Son.

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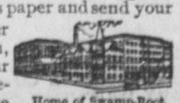
Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



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Ask Your Neighbors

So many people scattered all over the American Continent have been cured by Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines that there's scarcely a hamlet where some of these grateful people are not to be easily found—ever ready to say a good word for the medicines which cured them and which very likely may cure you, if similarly afflicted. Look them up. They are walking advertisements for Dr. Pierce's medicines—ever ready to pass the good news along that these medicines *cure* when many others fail. Little advertised NOW, because their record of 40 years of cures makes great displays of their merits unnecessary. The great American *people*, pretty generally know of their unequaled record.

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ONLY ONE.

The Record in Bellefonte is a Unique One.

If the reader has a "bad back" or any kidney ill and is looking for relief and cure, better depend on the only remedy endorsed by people you know. Doan's Kidney Pills relieve quickly—cure permanently. Bellefonté citizens testify to this. Here is a case of it:

Mrs. Emma J. Davis of E. Logan St. Bellefonte, Pa. says; I have a great deal of confidence in Doan's Kidney Pills, and have already recommended them in a published testimonial in 1897. I told how I had been relieved of kidney complaint and backache which had kept me suffering for years. Doan's Kidney Pills did this for me when other remedies had failed. Whenever I feel any symptom of my old trouble I send to F. Potts Green's drug store for a supply of Doan's Kidney Pills and it never requires more than a few doses to get me right."

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A Jewelers Experience

C. R. Kluger, The Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can not attend to business every day and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

No one is immune from kidney trouble, so just remember that Foley's Kidney Remedy will stop the irregularities and cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

BELLEFONTE CENTRAL RAILROAD—On and after Monday, May 20th, 1906 trains will run as follows from P. R. R. station.

WESTWARD.					EASTWARD		
1† Acom.	3† Exp.	5† Mail.			2† Mail.	4† Exp.	6 Acom.
A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	Lv.	Ar.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
6 30	10 15	3 00	Bellefonte		8 50	12 50	6 50
8	10 20	3 07	Coleville		8 40	12 40	6 15
8	10 23	3 12	Morris		f8 37	f12 37	6 07
8	f10 27	3 17	Stevens		f8 35	f12 35	6 03
			Lime Centre				
f8 46	f10 30	3 21	Hun'rs Park		f8 31	12 31	6 00
f8 50	f10 34	3 26	Fillmore		f8 28	f12 28	5 56
f8 55	f10 40	3 32	Brarly		f8 24	f12 24	5 50
7 00	10 45	2 35	Waddles		8 20	12 20	5 45
f7 12	f10 57	3 50	Krumrine		f8 07	f12 07	5 32
7 25	11 10	4 05	State College		8 00	12 00	5 20
f7 27		4 10	Strubles		f7 45		4 20
f7 31		4 15	Bloomsdorf		f7 40		4 24
7 35		4 20	P. G. Mills		7 35		4

Morning trains from Montandon, Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 8 and 5 for State College. Afternoon trains from Montandon Lewisburg, Williamsport, Lock Haven and Tyrone connect with train No. 5 for State College. Trains from State College connect with Penna R R trains at Bellefonte for points east and west.

†Stop on flag
‡Daily except Sunday

F. H. THOMAS, Sup.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Condensed Time Table.

READ DOWN.	June 17 1907.	READ UP
No. 1	No. 5	No. 3
a m	p m	p m
05	†6 55	‡2 20
7 15	7 05	2 32
7 20	f7 11	2 37
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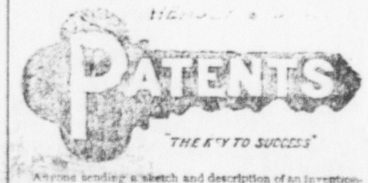

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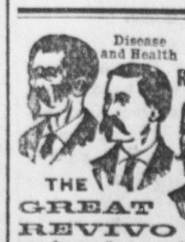

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Their Cause For Thanks.

By Charlotte Carruthers.

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When Dick Waring suddenly married pretty Linda Mills, to whom he had just become engaged, Uncle Henry Waring danced wrathfully on the hearth rug and uttered direful predictions.

"I don't blame you for wanting to marry Linda," he said angrily, "but you should have waited another year before taking a wife and setting up housekeeping. To my certain knowledge, Dick, you haven't got $500 outside of your salary, and"—

"I have my two hands," interrupted Dick, with a dramatic gesture, "and I assure you, Uncle Henry, my wife shall not suffer."

"Folderol!" snorted Uncle Henry. "Your wife has two hands also, and I'll warrant she finds a use for them in a thousand ways you never thought of. Why, if you were to meet with an accident or have a long illness what would you do?"

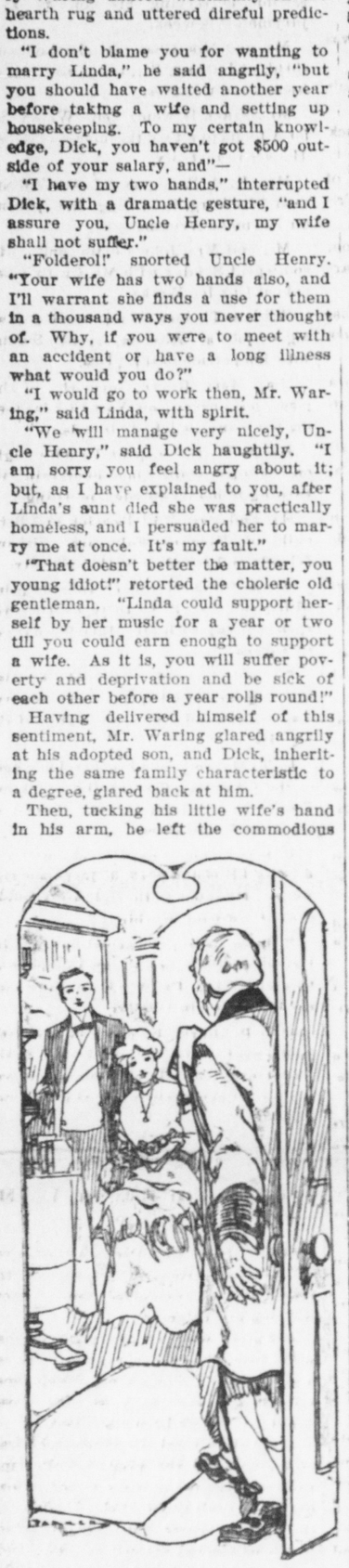
"I would go to work then, Mr. Waring," said Linda, with spirit.

"We will manage very nicely, Uncle Henry," said Dick haughtily. "I am sorry you feel angry about it; but, as I have explained to you, after Linda's aunt died she was practically homeless, and I persuaded her to marry me at once. It's my fault."

"That doesn't better the matter, you young idiot!" retorted the choleric old gentleman. "Linda could support herself by her music for a year or two till you could earn enough to support a wife. As it is, you will suffer poverty and deprivation and be sick of each other before a year rolls round!"

Having delivered himself of this sentiment, Mr. Waring glared angrily at his adopted son, and Dick, inheriting the same family characteristic to a degree, glared back at him.

Then, tucking his little wife's hand in his arm, he left the commodious



"SO HERE YOU ARE," SAID UNCLE HENRY.

and comfortable abode of his boyhood and sought a home of his own.

Uncle Henry, left alone, polished his eyeglasses vigorously and looked up at the picture of Dick's father which hung above the chimneypiece.

"I've done the best I could for him, Jimmy," he murmured huskily. "He'll have to paddle his own canoe now."

The next day he wrote to Dick and offered the two young people a home with him. Linda could assume charge of the household, and Dick might take his old place as the favored son.

Dick made no reply for a week, and then he merely scribbled a few lines to say that they had furnished a little house at 5 Clement street, where they hoped Uncle Henry would come and see them.

But Uncle Henry did not go.

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A year later Linda Waring was putting the final touches to her dinner table. It was Thanksgiving day, and Dick was home for the holiday. She could see his dark head bent over a book in the next room.

Presently Linda crept in and sat down on the floor beside his chair. "What is the matter, Dicky?" she asked softly. "Something is bothering you."

"It's Uncle Henry," confessed Dick frankly. "I have felt beastly mean for the last twelve months since we have been estranged. He has been like a father to me, and—well, I'm ashamed of myself." He reddened under her loving gaze.

"Why didn't you say something before, dear?" asked Linda after a little pause. "You know I spoke to you about asking Uncle Henry to spend last Christmas with us, but you said he would not come, so I gave it up."

"I was a fool, Linda," said Dick forcibly. "Time and again I've felt that I must be friends with him once more, and after the bank closed I would take a walk, intending to stop in and see him, but the minute I got within sight of the house all this cursed Waring obstinacy would rise up and send me past the house like a shot."

"If that is the case," said Linda, arising and bending over him, "I shall put on my things and run around and drag Uncle Henry here by main force. I have laid a plate for him and"—

"It is our place to go to him, Linda," said Dick soberly. "Let us go together."

"But my lovely dinner!" protested Linda, with a wistful glance toward the kitchen.

"Let us take it with us. I want Uncle Henry to taste your pumpkin pies," replied her husband, jumping to his feet.

In half an hour the toothsome dinner was snugly packed in two baskets, and the Warings turned their backs on 5 Clement street and boarded a trolley car.

When they reached the Waring mansion Dick ran up the steps like a boy and pressed the bell button.

After a long wait the door opened, and the displeased countenance of Mary Michens, the cook, was thrust forth.

"Good evening, Mrs. Michens," said Dick pleasantly. "Is my Uncle Henry at home?"

"He is not!" replied Mrs. Michens sourly. "Queer doings I call it when a lady has cooked as fine a Thanksgiving dinner as ever I see for him to set before it a minute and then jump up and order it all to be packed in baskets! And him and William has went away with it and me a-promising my sister she should have a taste of that turkey and all!"

Dick hesitated. "Perhaps he has gone to see us," he said in a low tone to Linda. "In that case he will be back before long. Let us wait for him."

Within an hour Mr. Henry Waring entered his house, very dejected and slightly irritable. "Take the baskets away, William. You and Mary Michens can divide the contents between you. Take your evening off, both of you. I wish to be alone!"

Whereupon Uncle Henry flung open the library door and stumbled upon his nephew and Linda sitting before the cozy fire.

"So here you are!" said Uncle Henry, blowing his nose violently. "Just been around to your place—nobody home."

Somehow—no one could explain afterward—Uncle Henry found himself sitting on the couch with an arm around each one.

"You were right about some things, Uncle Henry," said Dick humbly. "I can see that if I had waited a year Linda would not have had to work so hard. Most of the burden of economizing has fallen to her share. Show him your hands, Linda!"

"Won't!" said Linda saucily. "But we managed to get along somehow, Uncle Henry. It took lots of love, but we were well provided with that commodity. And now we have brought our dinner! Shall we eat it together?"

"By all means," said Uncle Henry briskly. "The servants are all away, and we can have the place to ourselves."

"If you like, Uncle Henry, Linda and I will break up and come and live with you," said Dick slowly. "You are sure you won't mind having a woman in your bachelor paradise?"

Uncle Henry looked from Linda's sweet face to Dick's—stronger and more manly and with a deep content in his eyes.

"Folderol!" said Uncle Henry, with vehemence.

Makes Brave Men Cowards.

It has been proved that the comparatively harmless bombarding, so far as wounds are concerned, of a besieged town is terribly demoralizing to the bravest men. When a shell bursts near a group of twenty men it may kill one and wound two, while the remaining seventeen escape without a scratch. It will be found, however, that many of these are never the same men again. No matter how iron nerved they were before they are now irresolute and timid, and all their faculties are weakened. Very often they are jeered at by their comrades because of this change, but this is utterly unjust. In fact, their brain and spinal cord have been injured by being violently shaken against the walls of their bony cavities. The same thing occurs in railway collisions. People who were robust become quite feeble and nervous, though they may not have received a scratch. This curious state in the case of soldiers is well recognized by doctors under the name of the mental injuries of explosives. The injuries are really quite as physical as a shattered leg, for they consist of a kind of bruising of the very delicate tissue of the spinal cord and brain.

A Roman Fortune Teller.

A fortune teller of a lower order who lives in a dirty and obscure house is constantly applied to by jealous lovers. A girl who has a hated rival sends the latter under the veil of friendship to consult the fortune teller, who is prepared beforehand to frighten her from her pursuit of the man she loves. While the bag mixes the cards and the girl watches three knocks are heard at the door.

"That is a bad sign," says the witch. "It means that you are not beloved."

The fortune teller continues to lay the cards several times, but always with a bad result. The girl is told that the man she loves has no intention of marrying her and is advised to have recourse to all sorts of magic, for which she pays a considerable sum. The rival who has sent her also pays the witch, who thus earns a double fee. The objects sold by the witch as charms are many and various. One is a bit of rag, another is a purse containing salt, a bit of hay, some barley and some nails. These charms are said to lose their power after a month or two, when they must be replaced.—Chambers' Journal.

BEAR KILLED NEAR LORETTO

On exhibition in front of the Young meat market at the corner of Main and Market streets is the carcass of a 165-pound black bear that stirred up the nor hern part of the county yesterday and after rambling over the greater portion of Allegheny, Carroll, and Cambria townships, was shot down by W. V. Baker near his home about a mile from Loretto. Mr. Barker shipped Bruin to Johnstown this morning, receiving the sum of $25 for it from C. A. Young & Co. The meat dealers will be ready to furnish bear steak to customers tomorrow.

The first appearence of the bear at Winterest early yesterday caused much excitement, and word was sent out far and wide. Parties of hunters at various places was organized and set out on trail for the Bruin, and before it was learned that the bear had been shot, it is estimated that a full battalion of armed men were scouring the north of the county. It was about 8.30 o'clock that Blair Burkett came across the tracks of the bear while sledding to the McCoy farm near Loretto. He notified the farmers and soon a large party was out hunting for Bruin, among them were William V. Baker and William Stoy who separated from the main party and had the bear headed off at about 11 o'clock. Baker had the luck to run across the brute first and he shot him. Mr. Baker won $10 on a bet that he had shot a real bear so that his hunting trip of two hours netted him $45.—Johnstown Tribune Dec. 8th,

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The Shop Notes department is full of helpful kinks and there are eleven articles describing things for the Amateur Mechanic to make,

W. A. Crist,

William A. Crist, who was for some years a well known resident of Osceola and until a few months ago general manager of the Berwind-White Coal Mining company, died at his residence in Johnstown last week.

The deceased, who was aged about 64 years, was a native of Clinton county, where he has brothers and sisters still living. He went to Clearfield county when a young man, identifying himself with the Berwind-White Co., leaving Osceola in 1899 for Johnstown to be near the company's big developments at Windber. He was recently compelled to retire from the management of the coal company by reason of failing health. Probably no one in this section of the state was a higher authority on mining.

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A WORKER IN GLASS.

Miss Mary Tillinghast, the Most Famous Artist in Her Line.

At a well known art gallery on Fifth avenue, New York city, there is on exhibition a stained glass window the subject of which is the "Revocation of the Edict of Nantes." This exquisite picture in glass is the work of Miss Mary Tillinghast and is to be presented at an early date to the New York Historical society by Mrs. Russell Sage.

Miss Tillinghast is the most famous woman worker in stained glass in the world. She was a pupil of John La Farge and of Carolus Duran and has lived and studied abroad the greater part of her life. With all her genius and reputation in the art world, this little woman is modest and retiring and almost shy when induced to talk about her work. In an interview at the gallery recently Miss Tillinghast said that the window, which is unusually large and contains a number of figures, took a year to execute and that the subject had been treated after the celebrated picture at Fontainebleau depicting the revocation of the edict of Nantes, before which canvas she had spent many inspiring weeks.

When asked about the mechanical end of her work she smiled and answered: "Why, that is the simplest part of it all. Of course you know," the artist continued, "the subject is usually suggested to me by the person giving the commission, and that these glass effects are made for a specific purpose and place makes the work easier. The subject matter settled, the next step is to get my inspiration. If the theme is allegorical I read, dream and make sketches of my fancies until they materialize into something workable. Should the theme be historical I haunt, as in the present instance, the country that gave rise to the scene.

"Then I make a rough draft and afterward work out the picture with living models. Another sketch is made from this and the lead lines, a most important part of the scheme, put in. Under my direction the dyes are made and the glass cut and put together by skilled workmen."

In reply to the statement that a worker in stained glass had to be not only an artist, but a special colorist, architect and mathematician, Miss Tillinghast pointed to a small "e" in the word "edict" and said, "Well, there are four sections in that fifth letter of the alphabet." Which clinched the matter of the exact science conclusively.

WHAT DREAMS MEAN.

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Flying.—To dream you are flying is a very excellent omen. It foretells elevation of fortune. It also indicates that you will take a long journey which will turn out advantageous to you.

Injury.—To dream you receive an injury signifies that you have many friends and no enemies. If you dream of inflicting an injury you will both receive and dispense blessings.

Jockey.—If a girl dreams she sees a jockey riding at full speed she will have an offer of marriage made her very unexpectedly.

Legacy.—To dream of receiving a legacy denotes losing whatever you own that is in the hands of another.

Malice.—To dream that some one bears you malice foretells a pleasant prospect in your worldly affairs and that you will soon be advanced to some important station.

Money.—To dream of receiving money is a good omen, but to dream of losing it is a proof you will be deceived and unsuccessful in business.

Neighing.—To dream you hear horses neigh augurs that you will have new and powerful friends who will do you much service.

Paper.—To dream of paper is a good omen, but if it appears rumpled you will have to go through trouble of some kind.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

To remove grease spots from wall paper sprinkle baking soda over blotting paper, place over the spot and press a moderately warm iron against it for a few minutes. The blotting paper will absorb the grease, and the paper on the wall will be free from spots.

Scraps of meat "leftovers" may be utilized by chopping fine and adding enough water to cover, then cooking a few minutes with a little salt, butter and pepper. Thicken as you would gravy. Line muffin or gem tins with pie crust and bake, then fill with mixture and serve hot.

When cleaning pantry shelves fold together at least three sheets of newspaper the longest way of the full sheet. Place the fold to the front of the shelf, fit carefully and when next clean papers are needed slip a silver knife in the fold of the outer sheet, cut along the entire length and remove the soiled part. In this way your shelves may be cleaned often and with little labor.

If one has a bedroom wall on which butterflies or certain varieties of flowers predominate as a decorative figure, then rugs, following this same idea, are easily made to order at any of the places where this work is done. A genuinely effective and unusual rag rug had butterflies of pale yellowish and brown across the border of a yellowish and brown rug. The butterflies looked as though they had been worked in afterward, for they were a closer weave than the body of the rug. The same idea was carried out in a bird design for a border on a studio rug. For dens and studios these quaint floor mats are most attractive.

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HOLIDAY GOODS

The Early Shopper Secures The Best Selections at the Best Prices.

We have "Papeteries" from 10c to $2.25
Pocket Books from 5c to $2 50
Ladies Hand Bags from 50c to $6.00
Comb and Brush Sets from 50c to $6.00
Choice Perfumes from 25c to $5.00
Infant sets, Manicure sets, Shaving sets,
Hand mirrors, Shaving mirrors, Fine Cigars, Etc,

If you intend buying a Holiday Present, the place to get it is

Green's Pharmacy Co.

Joseph's Store

Our displays of tailor-made suits and coats are n t the height of their magificence and completeness.

Our Millinery Department is up to date in every detail.

Every express brings new tributes from the country's greatest designers to supplement the already mammouth displays.

Joseph Bros. & Co.

A pill in time that will save nine is Rings Little Liver Pill. For billousness, sick headache constipation. They do not gripe. Price 25c. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

—Sechler & Co. have fine oranges and bananas, Malaga grapes and other fruit d-tf.

Woods Liver Medicine in liqid from regulates the liver relives sick headache constipation stomach, kidney disorders and acts as a gentle laxative. For chills fever adn malaria. Its tonic effects on the system felt with the first dose. The $1.00 bottle contains 2½ times as much as the 50c size. Sold by C. M. Parrish.

—Try Admiral Coffee.

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Coughs that are tight or distressing tickling coughs, get quick and certain help from Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. On this account Druggists everywhere are favering Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. And it is entirely free from Opium, Chloroform, or any other stupefying drug. The tender leaves of a harmless lung-healing mountainous shrub give to Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy its curative properties. Those leaves have the power to calm the most sensitive bronchial membrane. Mothers should, for safety's sake alone, always demand Dr. Shoop's. It can with perfect freedom be given to even the youngest babes. Test it once yourself, and see! Sold by J. Zeller & Son.

The HOLIDAY GOODS

Are all here and Prettier, Cheaper and Better than ever--a partial list below.

Suit Cases $1.00 up to $5.00 are wonders. Sweater Coats 25c up to $6.00 each. House Coats and Bath Robes, Umbrellas and Rain Coats, Handkerchiefs and Mufflers, Neck Wear from 25c up to $1.50. The new Collars for Misses and Boys: Gloves from 25c up to $2.00 and $2.50. The Automobile Gauntlets for Youths, Misses, Men and Women from 50c up to $3.00 per pair.

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EARLE C. TUTEN.

BRIEF MENTION

Short Items of Local Interest Gathered By The Way Side

—William Waddle, who for a number of years has boarded at the Bush house changed his place of residence last week to the Brockerhoff House.

—The annual dinner was held at the Nittany County Club which was attended by a large number of the members with their wives and friends.

—John Gowland has been re-appointed Postmaster at Philipsburg for another four years. The appointment is very satisfactory to the people of Philipsburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, of Reynolds avenue, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl at their home Friday morning. Congratulations are in order.

—Ensign A. Trood Bidwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bidwell, of South Allegheny street, has been transferred from the U. S. S. Montgomery to his old ship the Mississippi.

—Miss Edith Lytle, one of Stormstown's pretty young ladies, bid her friends good-bye in this town as she will leave for White Haven Sanatarium in about ten days.

—T. M. Stevenson Esq., one of the leading attorneys at the Clinton county bar, has been transacting business in Bellefonte the past week. He left for his home in Lock Haven Friday afternoon.

—Hastings, which has been scourged with typhoid fever, has secured a fine never-failing supply of water from a well 540 feet deep. A remarkable fact in connection with the well is that it is soft water. The typoid fever has virtually disappeared.

—Mr. Harry Lose, formerly of this place, but late of Williamsport, was operated on Thursday for appendicitis at the Williamsport hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Lose, of this place, parents of the young man, left for Williamsport Thursday evening. The many frinds of Mr. Lose in Bellefonte, will earnestly hope for his recovery,

—Col. and Mrs. J. L. Spangler have sent out invitations for the marriage of their niece, Miss Helen Romelia Van-Pelt of Centre Hall to John Daniel Smithgall, of Austin, Potter county; the ceremony to take place in the Bellefonte Presbyterian church at six o'clock on Tuesday evening, December 22nd. A reception will fol ow at the residence of Col. and Mrs. Spangler.

—An excitment was raised in Clearfield last week by the supposed discovery of trachoma, the contagious Russian eye disease, among the school children. Dr. C. M. Hosner, a Philadelphia specialist, examined a large number of children and pronounced the disease conjunctivitis, a disease resembling trachoma but neither contagious nor dangerous.

—The will of the late Col. James P. Coburn was probated last week. In it the testator bequeaths three thousand dollars outright to Mrs. Evelyn Rogers and the balance of his estate to his wife, Mrs. Coburn, during her life, and at her death everything to go to his nephew, Dr. Coburn Rogers. H. C. Quigley Esq., and Dr. Coburn Rogers were named as executors. The estate is estimated at from $35,000 to $45,000.

—The success of the book, "Quincy Adams Sawyer," and the play made from it, to be seen here at Garmans opera house January 9th becomes all the more interesting and remarkable when it is known that the publication of the novel was the experiment of a young woman, Carro M. Clark, who made 50,000 in one year out of the venture. Her royalties from the play have already reached a very handsome figure.

—On last Thursday a man by the name of Isaac Horner, who said his home had been at North Georgetown, Columbiana county, Ohio, came to the home of Isaac Orndorf, at Woodward. He was invited to stay and after dinner while sitting on a chair was stricken with paralysis and died instantly. Deceased was born in Union county but had lived in Ohio during the past 74 years. His age was 86 years. Funeral services were held Sunday forenoon and interment was made at Woodward.

—Thomas Frank, an aged and respected citizen of Aaronsburg, died at his home at that place Sunday morning at 3 o'clock of diseases incident to old age. His age was about 77 years. His wife preceded him to the grave several months ago. He leaves to survive two children; one son, Edward, of Woonsocket, S. D., and one daughter, Mrs. James Breon, of Aaronsburg. Funeral services were held Wednesday forenoon conducted by Rev. B. R. M. Sheeder and interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery at Aaronsburg.

—Tyrone is to have a Mummer's parade on New Years eve.

—The store windows are now all decked out with Christmas displays that are attracting a great deal of attention these days.

—The lucky holder of No. 812 was the winner of the $5.00 gold piece at the Electric Theatre. The management wants us to ask the holders of numbers 388 and 211 to save them.

—R. Bower Holter, local editor of the Daily News, was taken to his parents' home at Howard Monday afternoon on the 1 23 train. His friends in Bellefonte hope that the change may do him good and that we shall soon learn of his being restored to health and strength again.

—Thomas Thomas, of Scranton, one of the crack end players on the Academy foot ball team this season, was taken to the Bellefonte Hospital Friday suffering with quinsy. His mother arrived here Thursday evening and his father arrived Friday night. It is hopedhis recovery may be speedy.

—James Corl, the Commissioners Clerk, has taken the agency for the "Royal" visible typewriter in this section. It is a standard machine and has all the good points of the old reliable makes with many additional advantages. It is the most visible machine possibly that is on the market.

—Interesting revival services are now in progress in the local United Evangelical church under the direction of Evanlist B. F. Campbell who speaks and sings every night. Rev Campbell is a firm believer in old fashioned evangelism. He is not sensational and preaches the old truths. All are most cordially invited.

—The death of Col. James P. Coburn, president of the First National bank of Bellefonte, leaves a vacancy in the list of officers of that institution. Inasmuch as the annual meeting of the stockholders will be held early in January the board of directors do not deem it necessary to call a meeting for the election of a new president until that time. Until a new president is elected Dr. George F. Harris, vice president of the bank, will be acting president.

—The first service conducted by Rev. B. F. Campbell Monday night in the United Evangelical church was well attended. The Evangelist is a pleasant speaker and made a good impression on the congregation. His talk Monday night was an informal opening address in which he clearly defined where he stands concerning revivals and confusing terms which are liable to lead people astray.

—On Tuesday Col. W. Fred Reynolds and Edward Richard, with Howard Best, as chauffeur, left Bellefonte in the former's big Franklin touring car for Syracuse, N. Y., where the Colonel will have his machine thoroughly overhauled in the Franklin manufactory. While that is being done Mr. Richard will take a look around and inspect the various makes of Franklin automobiles and there is every likelihood that before he leaves he will place an order for one of their best cars to be delivered early next spring.

—Up to this time not a case of aphthous fever, or mouth and foot disease, has appeared among the cattle in Centre county, and in this respect the community is very fortunate. Individuals who have been shipping cattle into the county have been very careful where they purchased the same, and especially cutting out the Buffalo, N. Y., market, from where it is belived the first cases of the disease were imported into this State. By continuing to exercise the same precaution there is hardly any possibility of the disease breaking out in this county.

—On Thursday evening Postmaster Thomas H. Harter very delightfully entertained the Post Office employees at his hospitable home on Allegheny steeet by an informal supper, of which venison formed an important part. Twelve covers were laid and it is needless to state that all present did full justice to the many delicacies served. At a reasonable hour the guests departed with the kindliest regards for the hospitality of their host. During his term of office, Mr. Harter has in every particular endeavored to give the best possible service in the Bellefonte Post office, and at the same time by his thoughtfulness and sympathy for the employees of Uncle Sam he has won their esteem and admiration.

—First. Lieutenant Samuel D. Gettig, of Company B. Fifth Regiment, tendered his resignation to Col. Hugh S. Taylor several weeks ago to take effect immediately. By this, Company B not only loses an efficient officer, but he will be missed in the entire National Guard of Pennsylvania. Eighteen years ago he joined the guard and in all that time he only missed a dozen drills, a record for promptness that is seldom equaled. He was present with the company during the strike campaigns, and served faithfully in the South, during the Spanish-American war. It will be a long time before his place will be filled by any one quite as proficient. For sometime he has been filling the position of Captain of the Company owing to the absence of Philip Gerbrick, who has been away from town for several months.

—The boys and girls are hoping their good qualities will pass muster.

—The Christmas shopper remembers that clerks have nerves and feeling.

—Few men and women fail to appreciate courteous treatment from others.

—Mrs. E. M. Blanchard, of this place is quite ill at the home of her sister Mrs. Wister Morris, at Overbrook, Pa.

—There is a notable increase in the tide of holiday shoppers. The matter should be attened to at the earliest date.

—Miss Ruth Altenderfer, daughter of M. L. Altenderfer, of East Howard street, was taken to the Bellefonte hospital Saturday suffering with appendicitis.

—The least expensive holiday gift is cherished quite as earnestly by the true friend as the most costly. Love sanctifies the gift and makes a mean thing beautiful.

—The home business man should not send away for his printing and expect the local papers to do all in their power to encourage home dealing on the part of the public

—The families who are short of coal and not too generously supplied with warm garments will be plessed if current predictions concerning a warm winter should be realized.

—The gift of courtesy can be acquired by all who earnestly seek it. True, some men and women are naturally more gracious than others but no one need be a boor. It is a trait which can be eliminated.

—Mr. Joseph R. Muffly, father of Mrs. J. L. Montgomery and Miss Lillian Muffly, died at his home in Philadelphia Monday afternoon at three o'clock, aged 71 years. His remains were brought here for burial Wednesdaymorning. Interment direct from the train.

—Bellefonte isn't the cleanest place in the world either. The vacum cleaner, owned by business men of Huntingdon, which had been cleaning rugs, carpets, etc., took two tons of dirt out of the homes in this town. The machine is now being operated in Lock Haven by the local owners.

—One of the purest supplies of water in Cambria county is now being supplied to the residents of Hastings. The water is obtained from a well, which has been sunk to a depth of 540 feet, and is located near the railroad. To guard against any surface water finding its way into the well, casing has been put down to a depth of 245 feet.

—Don't forget the Elks benefit to be given at the Scenic Theatae on Thursday evening Dec. 17th. This benefit is for the poor and needy ones of this community and by paying 25cts for a ticket, you are helping to bring to them some Christmas cheer. Two performances, the first beginning promptly at 7 o'clock and the second at 9.

—An exchange says that an editor and his wife disagree with each other materially. She sets things to rights and he writes things to set. She reads what others write and he writes what others read. She keeps the devil out of the house as much as possible and he retains him and could not go to press without him. She knows more than he writes more than she knows.

—The new system of paying employes in cash, instead of by check, was inagurated by the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., at Altoona, Dec. 2nd, all the general office forces receiving their pay under the new plan. General Superintendant G. W. Creighton was the first man to draw his salary in cash. The pay days have been changed to one week earlier which has caused a general change in the business methods of the merchants there.

—The Grand Army special committee has completed the draft of a new state pension bill, which will be introduced at the forth coming session of the legisture. A copy of this bill has been sent to Governor Stuart and each of the 523 Grand Army posts of Pennsylvania. A copy of the bill will be sent to each senator and representative. Senator Blewitt of Scranton, will present the bill in senate and William S. Reyburn will father it in the house.

—Maintenance of the roads now being constructed by the State is the next thing which will have to be given serious consideration by the Legislature. It is almost folly to construct splendid highways and allow the local authorities to neglect them upon the theory that a road once constructed by the State is good forever. If it's necessary to repair paved streets in cities from year to year, it is much more necessary to keep in repair the macadamized highways through the rural districts.

—Joseph Snelenbach, of Tyrone, was brought to the Bellefonte Hospital Sunday afternoon on the work train. He had been working with the wrecking crew who were repairing the damage done at the wreck on the Snow Shoe road last Wednesday. He was running the steam derrick when some part of the machinery broke and he was quite badly injured. When brought to the hospital he was found to be suffering from lacerations of the forehead and contusion of the body. He is getting along nicely however and will be able to go to his home in a few days.

—The double house on Lamb street owned by Boyd Noll, of Zion, which was recently partially destroyed by fire, is being repaired and put in good shape for renting again,

—The new soldier's monument at Lock Haven has been erected this week at the junction of Main Street and Bellefonte avenue. It will be dedicated memorial day 1909.

—Pearl Gillen, the seven year old daughter of Ed. Gillen, who was injured while coasting Saturday has about recovered. It seems she was knocked down by a sled and sustained some severe bruises.

—State Game Commissioner Kalbus says that he will urge the legislature to increase the act to pay bounties on noxious animals from $50,000 to $100,000 for 1909 and 1910. He says the law has worked well in many instances.

—The applications for liquor license in Centre county will be presented to the court on December 19th. There are 37 applications, embracing all who have had license during the past year, and one new one, E. E. Beales, of Julian.

—Did you notice the smile on the countenance of S. Kline Woodring Esq., Well its all about that little baby girl that arrived at their home on Saturday evening. Both mother and baby are doing well. Congratulations old boy.

—The annual meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association for the election of directors will be held at the Y. M. C. A. building Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. A meeting of the board of directors will be held the same evening to consider special business.

—James H. Potter has joined the ranks of the automobilists, by purchasing from the Stetsons in Philadelphia a Thomas Forty automobile and is now havingthe same put in first class shape at Keichline's garage and machine shop on Water street.

—William T. Miller has accepted the agency for the Home Protective Association of Canton, Pa., and will begin work about January 1st. It provides indemnity in event of sickness, accident and death. Mr. Miller is a hustler and we believe the Company is fortunate in getting so good a man as their representative.

—It is reported that Fred Waltz, a former Bellefonte boy was arrested at Youngstown, Ohio, recently for killing a man. It is alleged that he entered a saloon there and demanded a drink but was refused by the bartender and ordered out. Going outside he picked up a rock and throwed it through the window killing the bartender. He was arrested and convicted and is now awaiting sentence.

—Rev. Wilbur F. Crafts, Ph. D., traveler and reformer of Washington, D. C. will lecture in the Court House, Sunday afternoon at 3 30 p. m. under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Topic "A World-wide War on the Four Evils." He will also speak in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning, subject "The March of Christ Down the Centuries" and in the evening in the Methodist church, subject "An Interview with Count O'Kuma on the Foundations of Morality."

Celebrates His Eighty-second Birthday.

The teachers and students of the Bellefonte Academy held very interesting and appropriate exercises Tuesday afternoon in honor of the eighty-second anniversary of the birth of Rev. James Potter Hughes, the emeritus principal. Prof. James R. Hughes presided and after a few introductory remarks and the recital of a few verses composed for the occasion, he introduced Gordon Montgomery and Louis Schad who extended the greetings and congratulations of the primary and intermediate departments, respectively. Mr. William D. Crooks of Williamsport, followed with very felicitous remarks as the representative of the Academic grade. Able but brief addresses were then given by Prof. Chas. E. Hall, of the athletic life of the school, Prof. Arthur Sloop, on behalf of the faculty as a whole, Prof. Sherwood Hall, representing the musical department and Dr J. Allison Platts, representing the ministry and the communites in general.

To all of these speeches which were replete with good thoughts, Rev. Mr. Hughes made a very forceful and feeling response. The occasion was much enjoyed by all present.

Death of Perry Gates.

Perry Gates, a well known citizen of Warriorsmark, died at his home in that place Saturday night at 12 o'clock. Death was due to paralysis and other complications.

Deceased was born near Gatesburg 64 years ago and all his life followed farming. His ancestors were among the early settlers of Centre County, the town of Gatesburg being named for them. He was a member of the Lutheran church and a conscientious christian man. He was a staunch democrat, politically.

He is survived by a wife but no children. He also leaves a brother and two sisters, namely, Martin of Petersburg; Mrs. Emanuel Sunday and Mrs. William Harpster of Ferguson township.

The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment in the Warriorsmark cemetery.

PERSONALS

Short But Newsy Personals of Those Who Come And Go.

Miss Carrie Harper is visiting friends in Williamsport.

Mrs. George Grimm was a visitor in Centre Hall the past week.

Ross A. Hickok of Harrisburg is in attendance at Court this week.

Charles H. Gulich, of Philipsburg was in attendence at Court last week.

Col. W. Fred Reynolds departed Wednesday morning for Lancaster, Pa.

Attorney H. C. McCormick, of Lock Haven, was a visitor in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcellus Sankey of Potters Mills, were visitors in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Nolan of Tyrone, were visitors in Bellefonte the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Otto, of Johnstown, are visiting friends and relatives in this place.

Mr. Maurice W. Cowdrick, of Niagara Falls, is visiting friends and relatives in our little city.

W. B. Mingle, cashier of the Penns Valley Bank, was a business visitor in Bellefonte Thursday.

Miss Edna Meyer returned home on Monday evening from a visit to friends in Philadelphia.

George H. Hile, of Bellefonte, registered at the New Bingham Hotel, Philadelphia, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Clayton Brown attended the funeral of Thomas Frank at Aaronsburg Wednesday.

Miss Ella A. Gates attended the funeral of her uncle, the late Perry Gates at Warriorsmark Monday.

Frank Stoughton, General Supervisor of the Pennsylvania Railroad was a visitor in town Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Cooney, who has been spending the Fall in Middletown is at home to spend the winter.

Jesse Hudson, the well known and popular tailor, of Philipsburg, was a visitor to Court on Monday.

H. H. Harshberger, Esq., formerly of this place, but now of Altoona, is in attendance at Court this week.

Mrs. R. G. Larimer after spending a week with her son John, departed Thursday for her home in Empire, Pa,

Mrs. R. A. Beck and two children left Tuesday afternoon for Hanover where they will visit Mrs. Beck's parents.

Mrs. Claude Jones, of Tyrone, wife of the Register and Recorder of Blair county, was a visitor in town Friday.

Mrs. Hugh S Taylor and children have been visiting in Philipsburg at the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. Robert Llyod.

Miss Ann Shaffner departed Friday afternoon for Philadelphia, after a pleasant visit with her cousin, Mrs. John Porter Lyon.

Mrs. Thomas Selfridge and little daughter of Berkeley, Cal., are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Merriman on Curtin street.

Miss Lulu Smith departed Wednesday for Philadelphia where she will spend Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Seixas and family.

Miss Helen Otto, who recently underwent an operation in a Williamsport hospital, is visiting her brother, Mr. Harry Otto of this place.

Commissioners-elect H. E. Zimmerman and Jacob Woodring with the new Commissioner's clerk Williams were Bellefonte visitors Tuesday.

Miss Helen Trafford, who has been spending the past year with her uncle in Williamsport, is at home to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Trafford of North Spring street.

Miss Ellen Dowing Valentine departed for Pittsburg Wednesday where she will join Miss Mary Blanchard to assist in the basket shop sales that are now going on at the Hotel Schenley in Pittsburg and Sewickley.

Mr. Harry Cohen, the head clerk in the Outlet Clothing Store, returned home Tuesday evening after a visit to Mt. Union where he spent Sunday with his mother who is visiting Mrs. George Shapiro of that place.

Joseph Barnes, who has been in bad health for some time left Tuesday afternoon for White Haven where he will undergo treatment. His many friends in Bellefonte earnestly hoped that he may be benefited and soon return in health and strength again.

Clyde McKinley, superintendent of the P. R. R. pumping station near Milesburg, spent part of Sunday with friends in Tyrone. He was accompanied by William Comer, of Johnstown, who was on his way home to Milesburg to visit his mother.—Tyrone Herald.

D. F. Fortney Esq., departed Tuesday afternoon for Washington, Pa., where he delivered an address before a School Directors convention at that place, Wednesday. Thursday and Friday he will be in Bedford Pa., where he will speak at a Teacher's Institute and a School Directors convention.

Miss Sarah Ott spent Sunday with friends in Williamsport.

H. L. Gettis, of Luzerne county is acting as Court stenographer this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Knisely spent Sunday with friends at Curtins Works.

James Black one of Philipsburg's best known citizens is doing jury duty this week.

Mrs. John C. Rowe and little daughter Margaret, spent Wednesday with friends in Altoona.

H. C. Woodring the landlord at Port Matilda is serving his country as a juryman this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Larimer and child, of Indiana, Pa., are here to visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Frank Downing left Wednesday for Altoona to attend the funeral of Robert Hoover in that city.

Mrs. K. A. Snodgrass of Hazlewood, near Pittsburg, is visiting her parents on Reynolds Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Curtin and little son, spent Sunday with Mr. Curtin's parents at Curtins Works.

William Thomas, who is holding down a good job at Altoona, spent Sunday with his parents in this place.

Miss Mary Brown, formerly of this place, but now of New York City is greeting her many Bellefonte friends.

Dr. A. W. Hafer spent Tuesday night on the top of Snow Shoe mountain, returning home Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rearick and little child of Niagara Falls are visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Grove of Spring Mills, and Mrs. E. C. Dietz, of Howard, spent Sunday with Mrs. Ella Showers of this place.

Edward Richards departed Tuesday morning for Philadelphia where he will visit friends and take in the sights of the big city.

L. T. Munson, who is general manager of the Pittsburg office of the Bickford Fire Brick Company, spent Sunday at his home in this place.

Robert A. Bennison, of Jacksonville, is serving his country as a juryman this week. He is one of the stalwart republicans of Marion township.

Will Buchanan, the genial representative of the Buchanan Bridge Company of Chambersburg, Pa., was a business visitor in Bellefonte Tuesday.

Mrs. R. Boyd Nolan, who recently underwent a successful operation at the Bellefonte Hospital, left Sunday morning for Pittsburg where she will visit her sister.

STATE ATHLETES

To compete Next Friday for Valuable Prizes

State College, Pa., Dec. 14.—As a result of many attempts, a cross-country team has been organized, and is now working every day.

The great need of distance men has never before been so noticeable, and as a means of developing some likely material in the freshman class, the cross-country team has been organized.

There are several freshmen who ran cross-country at the prep schools, and they are expected to make a good showing at the trials to be held Friday. A three mile course has been selected, which will end at the new athletic field.

In order to stimulate interest in the work several merchants in the town have offered trophies for the meet. At present the enthusiasm runs high, and it is hoped that it may continue.

Captain "Pal" Maurhoff has put forth every effort to make this year's track team a record breaker.

The new cinder track, which is one of the finest in the country, has just been completed, and on this Captain Maurhoff hopes to break many state and intercollegiate records.

At present the track squad consists of twenty-five men, including some of last year's varsity. Among these are Ogilvie, Eldred, Watt, of Mercersburg, and Helpman, of Syracuse, who are out for distance; Howarth, Hay, Smith, Berry, Berkebile, Bubb and Miller for the short distance; Captain Maurhoff, Saddler and Harrison, for the pole vault; Braddock, Harrison and Porter, for high jump; Porter and Brubaker, for broad jump, and Cyphers and Hirschman will look after the weights.

The schedule has not yet been completed, but in all probability will include a meet with one of the big four.

Professor N. A. Wright, a former Brown University track man, has greatly aided the coaches, and will remain on the coaching staff.

New Man at Helm.

Our genial friend John C. Miller, formerly editor of the News and Republican, but of late has been making a success of the Barnesboro Star, is now managing editor of the Patton Courier, this paper having been acquired by the company publishing the Barnesboro Star. Mr. Miller will not relinquish his editorship of the Star but will edit both papers. We have not seen a copy of the Patton Courier but understand it has made a decided improvement under the new management. We wish our friend Miller continued success in the newspaper field.